IT LOOKS DOUBTFUL

THE WEATHER.

For Boston and vicinity: Partly cloudy to-day; Friday fair and warmer; fresh north to east winds.

High water 9:10 a. m. and 9:38 p. m.

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RIDDLED WITH BUCKSHOT

GEORGE FORD, HUNTED BY WHOLE TOWN, DESPERATE FROM WOUNDS

RECEIVED IN BATTLE WITH POSSE

GIVES UP

Man Who Leaped From Besieged Hotel After Defying Sheriff's Men All Night Falls Fainting in Farmer's Yard and Is Captured. In Fearful Plight.

SPECIAL TO THE BOSTON AMERICAN.

ALSTEAD, N. H., Oct. 26.—Shot in a dozen places, his right wrist broken and his left hip out of joint, famished from fasting since Tuesday morning and violently insane from his terrible sufferings, George Ford, who escaped from the posse after the shooting of Fred Shortsleeve, was captured in Green's barn at Cook's Hill to-day.

He is under the care of physicians at the Alstead Hotel, from which he made his sensational escape. The shots fired at him by the posse took effect in all parts of his body. His arms, back, chest and head are filled with buckshot. His wounds, from inattention, have become serious.

There was great excitement in the town when it was known that Ford had been captured. He was brought in by Herbert Green, Elmer Henry, Frank Clapp, Ralph Robbins and the Caswells, father and son.

ATE LIKE A STARVING MAN.

When Herbert Green started from his house, he was surprised to see the emaciated figure lying in the sun around the corner. From the descriptions Green recognized the man at once as Ford. Knowing the reports of his dangerous character Green hustled away for his neighbors. They came well armed, but the man made no effort to use the revolver which one of the men quickly took away from him.

"Give me something to eat; I'm all in," said Ford.

Green and his neighbors helped him to the kitchen, where they gave him food in small quantities. Ford ate like the starving man that he was. "I have had nothing since I left the hotel Tuesday morning," he said.

He was in a pitiable condition. His wrist, swollen, the broken joints separated, caused him to writhe in pain. He could not walk save with the most terrible agony accompanying every movement. They found that his hip had been thrown out of joint, probably when he leaped from the window of the hotel and fled to the woods pursued by the shots of the posse.

SUFFERED 48 HOURS.

At times Ford became so irrational that he uttered the most astonishing proclamations. Forty-eight hours without food of any kind and his terrible suffering seemed to have broken his mind completely.

Ford told his captors in rational moments that he had never been one-half a mile from the hotel. "I slept in the woods Tuesday night, and Wednesday night I crawled into the barn here. It was terribly cold there all night, and I suffered a lot. When the sun rose I came out to get some warmth. I didn't care what became of me.

"I never wanted to kill anybody, but something made me do what I did when I heard him laughing and coughing behind my back and making fun of me. I couldn't stand it."

At the hotel, where he was placed in the room from which he escaped and a much stronger guard of the sheriffs put about the doors, he was attended by Dr. Oliver. The physician was obliged to call in assistance to pick the charges of shot out of Ford's skin. None of them had made a dangerous wound, but all had been neglected long enough to make his condition serious.

His hands were so cut by the shot and the rough bushes that they were swollen and useless.

To a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter Ford admitted that he was the man who worked for George Walker at Unity, and was the one who had chased the Walker girl to her room, threatening to kill her because she had insulted him.

"After that I came to Alstead," he said. "I am an honest man, and I do not want to injure anyone. But when people whistled behind my back and coughed it made me do the rash deed that I did."

Then he became irrational again, and said that men had tried to hang him, had tried to shoot him and shut him up in prisons and asylums. "But I escaped them; I will escape them again," he screamed.

According to such story as could be obtained in his lucid moments he was born in Lowell thirty-eight years ago and was brought up by a family named Quinn in Dracut.

WORKED AT GARDNER.

On May 15 of last year he said that he was working at the State colony at Gardner fixing fences when he decided to go away. Without telling anyone of his purpose he took to the road and made his way to New Hampshire.

He worked all Summer on various farms about the State, the last place in Unity before he came to Alstead two weeks ago.

Ford will be kept under close guard until the physicians decide when he can be moved. His future will depend upon the recovery of his victim.

Shortsleeve, after his wound was dressed, was taken to his father's home in Langdon, four miles from here. He says that Ford attempted to fire at him a second time, but the cartridge failed to explode.

COMPROMISE HALTS CRISIS AT FALL RIVER

OPERATIVES DELAY STRIKE ACTION FOR CONFERENCE WITH MILL OWNERS.

Special to the Boston American.

FALL RIVER, Oct. 26.—By the intercession of Mayor Coughlin and a number of leading business men of the city the strike crisis has been postponed until next Monday night. The air is slightly clearer and hopes are entertained that an amicable agreement may be reached between the operators and operatives before that time.

The five textile unions, at special meetings, called at first to vote on the question of the wage scale offered by the manufacturers' association, met and voted to postpone action because of the request from the mayor and business men. The vote to postpone was unanimous in all of the unions except the weavers, and they carried it with little opposition.

With the remembrance of the strike of last year fresh in their minds, the people of Fall River, particularly the retail merchants, do not wish to see a recurrence of the labor troubles. Many of them have not yet recovered from the hard times that existed during and after that memorable struggle. Accordingly, members of the Retail Merchants' Association, led by Mayor Coughlin, after strenuous efforts, succeeded in bringing about a conference between the secretaries of the unions and the executive committee of the manufacturers' association.

OPERATIVES ENTHUSIASTIC.

At this conference the secretaries were requested to submit a proposition to their respective unions asking for a postponement, and the manufacturers, on their part, agreed to hold a second conference on Monday afternoon with the union representatives looking towards a settlement of the troubles, thus avoiding a strike.

The union meetings were record-breaking in attendance. The greatest enthusiasm was manifested and although the men voted to postpone action there seemed to be no spirit of surrender. Speeches were made at all the meetings and the leaders were anxious keep their organizations from hasty action.

The carders, loomfixers, spinners and

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DENTIST SHOOTS CHUM IN DUEL OVER A GIRL

FIGHT TAKES PLACE IN NEW YORK APARTMENTS WHICH THEY SHARED.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Lester F. Dwight, manager of the Cortlandt street branch of the Long Distance Telephone Company, and Dr. William Wood, a dentist, with offices at Forty-Second street and Sixth avenue, have lived together in bachelor apartments at No. 414 West One Hundred and Twenty-Fourth street and were the closest of friends until both fell in love with the same woman. As a result of the quarrel which followed, Dwight was taken to J. Hood Wright Hospital to-day with three serious bullet wounds and his former friend was charged with felonious assault.

The fight between the two young men took place in their apartment after midnight. Dwight is large and athletic while the dentist is small. It is said that Dwight got the better of the fight.

Wood Had Revolver.

The other tenants in the house were aroused by five shots in rapid succession. There were cries for the police and men and women ran to the street. Policeman Woodward, of the West One Hundred and Twenty-Fifth street station heard the shots and screams. He rapped for assistance and made for the apartments, quickly followed by Detectives Breslin and Graham.

The detectives and the policeman put their shoulders to the door and pushed it in. Supporting himself with his hand on the dresser was Dwight. He was very pale and blood was flowing from his mouth.

Near Dwight stood Wood, a revolver in his hand. He, too, was pale, and objected to police entrance.

Wood was disarmed and placed under arrest. A hurry call was sent for an ambulance from J. Hood Wright Hospital and Dr. Wall responded. The physician found that Dwight was shot in three places. One bullet had entered the mouth and lodged in the left side of the neck. A second bullet was embedded in the chest and a third was in the right thigh.

Smaller Man Bruised.

Dwight was searched and a fully loaded revolver was found in his pocket. He said that he had not found time to draw it to protect himself. Wood was found to have a number of scalp wounds. His eyes were cut and bruised, showing that he had been badly beaten before he had used his revolver.

"I had to do it to protect myself," he said. "This trouble all grew out of a disagreement we had over a girl."

"What's the girl's name?" was asked.

"You fool, you," yelled Dwight, growing weak from loss of blood. "If you talk any more I will finish you. I want to say to you, anyhow, that you are a d—d poor shot."

Then Dwight reeled and fell unconscious. The ambulance was called for the second time, and Dwight was hurried off for treatment. At the hospital it was said that all of his wounds were serious, but that he was not necessarily fatally hurt.

The police are trying to discover whether or not the girl was in the bachelor apartments when the shooting occurred. If she was present, no one saw her enter or leave the house. The belief is that both men had been calling on the girl, and that both were in love with her.

MEDFORD YOUTH REPORTED MISSING

Eugene E. Cox, aged eighteen, has been missing from his home on Cottage street, West Medford, since last Thursday. He was employed in a furnishing goods store at Charlestown. On leaving home Thursday morning he told his folks he was going to work, and has not been seen since.

Cox is 5 feet 6 inches in height, weighs about 150 pounds, has medium complexion and blue eyes, and when he left home wore a blue serge suit, tan shoes and a skull cap.

Russia, Fast Nearing Brink of Revolution, FACES FAMINE HORROR

Nation's Industry Paralyzed by Strikes; Czar Isolated at Peterhof.

Witte Attempts in Vain to Check Hostile Demonstrations by Workingmen.

Special Cable to Boston American.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 26.—While revolution increases on every side, and the socialists and strikers paralyze the railroads and many commercial enterprises, the large cities of the Empire stare famine in the face.

The price of food is increasing. Meat in the markets is one-third higher than on Tuesday. The authorities fear that the people, becoming desperate in the face of absolute starvation, will take to pillaging to secure food. This would mean a reign of terror, the end of which no one can foresee.

Until this moment the strikers, remembering the massacres of last January, have been careful not to force the government to the point where it might seem justified in turning the Cossacks loose on them. The present emergency has produced leaders such as were not in evidence before. These master minds are displaying exemplary coolness.

CZAR NOW ISOLATED.

With the isolation of St. Petersburg by rail, the strike having extended to every railway line leading out of the city, the situation has assumed a most ominous aspect. Such organization of the strikers and revolutionists had never been suspected by the authorities.

The Czar at Peterhof is cut off from railroad communication with his capital.

Witte, at the head of the Ministry, is endeavoring to breast the storm. He warned a deputation of strikers who called upon him that a continuation of the strike could only result in bloodshed, either by compelling the interference of the military or by the famine-stricken populace of the cities turning upon the strikers.

"Remember," said Witte, "the government may fail, but with it you will perish also."

He advised the strikers to return to work. His advice was howled down.

Last night was a night of horror. The city listened throughout the dark hours in terror of the shouts that might signalize a direct outbreak against the government. Morning broke without a hostile demonstration.

WAGE PROMISE BROKEN.

Prince Holkoff, Minister of Railroads, arrived from Moscow after a hard night's work, black and dust-grimed. His appeals to the strikers at Moscow to allow him an engine driver were unavailing, and with a fireman stoking, he drove his own engine to this city. The Prince is not to blame for the failure of the government to increase of wages of the railroad men, as was promised. This is the fault of the Minister of Finance.

An encounter took place last evening between strikers and engine drivers who were preparing to take out trains. Revolver shots were exchanged and a number of persons were killed or wounded.

STRIKES EXTENDING.

Reports in the afternoon showed an enormous extension of the strike. All the Baltic, and Polish lines are tied up, and a strike began on the great Southwestern system, covering the territory southward from Kieff toward Odessa.

Trains in the Baltic provinces are not running, and the situation is reported very bad at Riga and Libau. There was considerable excitement at all the railroad stations, which are in possession of the troops. Not a train departed. The railroad battalions were called out, and an attempt will be made to man a train to Moscow and the frontier to-day.

Collisions are feared. Great crowds assembled at the Moscow station and gen-

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VANDERBILT SCION IS JAILED FOR SCORCHING

FRENCH PRISON FOR SHEPARD, WHOSE AUTO KILLED GIRL IN PARIS.

PARIS, Oct. 26.—The American automobilist, Elliott F. Shepard, grandson of the late William H. Vanderbilt, who was tried last week on a charge of manslaughter for causing the death, on August 28, of a twelve-year-old girl, who was run down by his automobile while travelling at a high rate of speed, was found guilty in a verdict rendered to-day.

Shepard was condemned to three months' imprisonment, without respite, and ordered to pay a fine of 600 francs and costs, while an award of 20,000 francs damages was made in favor of the girl's parents. This sum he must pay cojointly with the Hotchkiss Automobile Company, by which he was employed. The verdict against Shepard is exceptionally severe. The judge who announced the findings declared that it was necessary to make an example of him to check the carelessness of chauffeurs and their disregard for human life.

In Shepard's case it was proved that he neglected the ordinary precautions prescribed by the law for avoiding accidents. His offense was aggravated also by the fact that he was recently condemned to a week's imprisonment for speeding. He has benefitted by the respite offered him, which, however, will not be applicable now.

It is considered here that the bad reputation which American chauffeurs, notably the late Charles L. Fair and William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., have acquired as reckless drivers, had much to do with the severity of the verdict pronounced to-day.

HARRIMAN AND MISS ALICE ARE NEARING HOME

Record-Breaking Special Due in New York Early This Afternoon.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 26.—The E. H. Harriman special, with Mr. Harriman and Miss Roosevelt aboard, arrived in Buffalo at 8:46 o'clock to-day over the Lake Shore, and departed for the East at 9:08 o'clock. Mr. Harriman and Miss Roosevelt did not appear.

The special arrived in Chicago 50 hours and 44 minutes actual running time since starting from Oakland, Cal., having elapsed. It is due in New York early in the afternoon. It is denied that any effort is making to establish a record. However, the train made the distance from Oakland to Chicago in eighteen hours less than required for the overland limited.

Railroad officials are wondering to-day what had made Mr. Harriman change his plans to make a record-breaking run across the continent. It is not credited that the President called the run off, as he is known to keenly delight in tests of speed. The general impression in railroad circles is that Mr. Harriman was displeased with the notoriety he was obtaining, and determined that it might be unpleasant for President Roosevelt.

Only for the interference of Julius Kruttschnitt this morning, Mr. Harriman, the railroad magnate, would have walked out on the platform of his car at Omaha without his trousers on, and with 2,000 people watching his actions. He had already opened the car door when he was stopped and reminded of his condition. The occupants of the car roared and joked him unmercifully as he finished dressing.

BLUEBEARD MUST SPEND LIFE IN JAIL

Supreme Court Decides Against Sanctimonious Murderer of Third Wife.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Oct. 26.—The Iowa Supreme Court has affirmed the sentence of life imprisonment on E. S. Blydenburg, the Sunday school teacher and "Bluebeard," who was convicted of the murder by poisoning of his third wife, Jennie Rosenborough Blydenburg of Wauseon. Two justices dissented from the decision.

Blydenburg's two former wives are said by the authorities to have died under suspicious circumstances. State Prosecutor Noble accused him of being a modern Bluebeard. It has been alleged that, from his successive marriages and the deaths of his wifes, he gained upwards of $33,000 in life insurance and other property. Mrs. Carrie Smith of Brooklyn, N. Y., who came here for the trial, also accused Blydenburg of offering prayer at her bedside once and at the same time taking advantage of her eyes being closed to slip his hand under her pillow and extract a wallet containing $2,700.

BOY STARTED FIRE TO SEE ENGINES GO

"I wanted to see the engines run," declared eight-year-old Willie Shute, who set fire to the house of his father, Augustus Shute, on Brook street, Brookline. The place was slightly damaged.

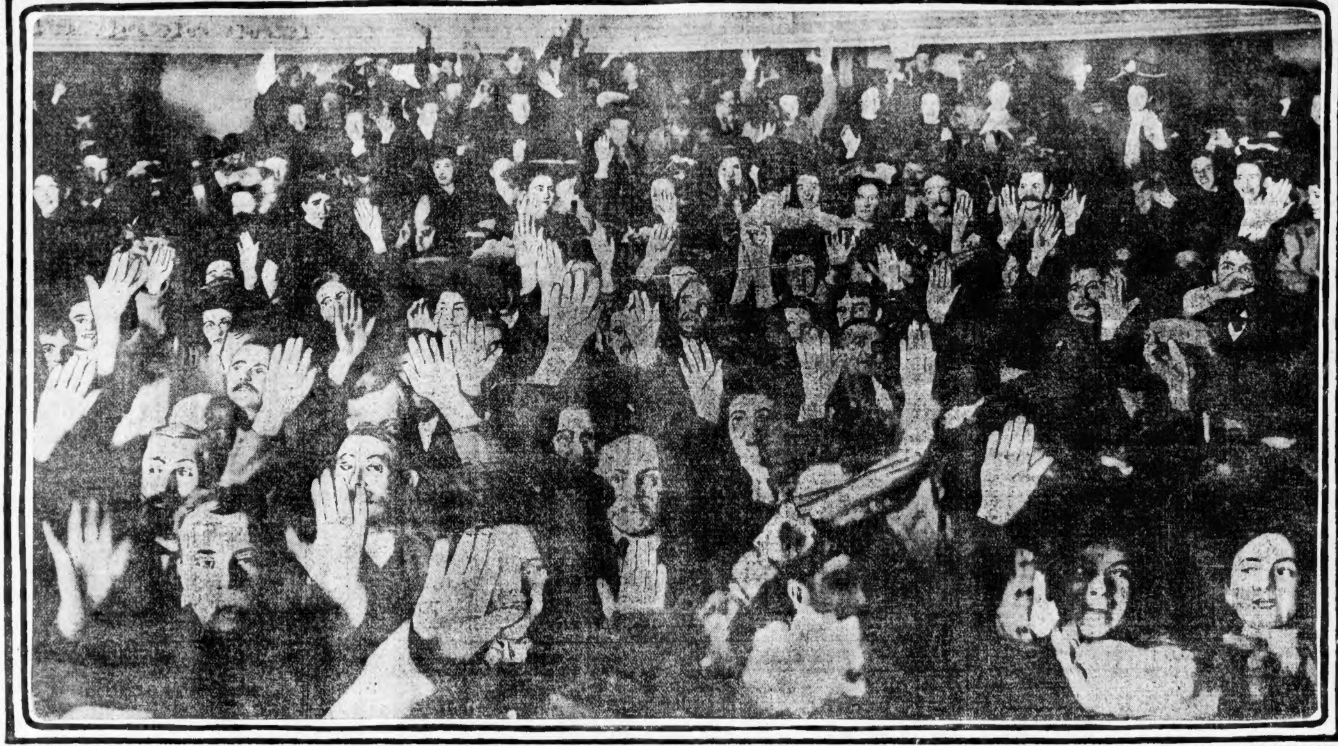
LIVES LOST IN WRECK IN IOWA

Special to the Boston American.

MUSCATINE, Ia., Oct. 26.—Trains No. 11 and 12, the fastest trains on the Kansas City line of the Rock Island Railroad, met in head-on collision at Fairfield at 4 o'clock to-day.

Several persons were killed.

FALL RIVER UNIONS POSTPONE VOTE ON STRIKE TILL NEXT MONDAY



From a flashlight photograph taken by a Boston American staff photographer.

FALL RIVER WEAVERS PHOTOGRAPHED GIVING PRACTICALLY A UNANIMOUS VOTE TO POSTPONE STRIKE ACTION

Mayor Coughlin Succeeds in Arranging a Temporary Truce to Give the Manufaturers a Chance to Confer with the Operatives Over Wage Question.

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slashers voted unanimously to postpone action until the conference could be held. These meetings lasted hardly a half hour, and were marked by quietness and calmness.

But the weavers were in session for an hour and twenty minutes. Fully 1,100 of them gathered in their hall and a number of speeches were made with some strike sentiment. When the matter had finally been under discussion more than an hour it was agreed to take a yea and nay vote.

DOES NOT SETTLE STRIKE.

The yea and nay vote was taken and the chairman declared it was an overwhelming majority in favor of postponing action.

As soon as the announcement was made the members rushed from the hall to the street, and the news spread rapidly. It brought a feeling of relief to everyone, and the unions were praised on every hand for their fairness.

This unanimous action on the part of unions postpones the crucial day till Monday. It in no way settles the issue, nor calms the fear of an eventual strike, but it does give ample opportunity for a lot of needed explanation.

President James Tansey of the textile council said after the results at all the meetings had been learned:

"I am highly pleased at the wisdom and patience shown by the operatives to-night in voting to postpone action. It shows conclusively that they are always willing to listen to reason and act accordingly. All they look for is justice and fair play. That is evident by this action."

EXPECTED STRIKE VOTE.

The turning aside of the crisis was the result of some very strenuous work by the business men and Mayor John T. Coughlin.

When the manufacturers sent the operatives their ultimatum to the request for a reconsideration, there seemed no way of avoiding a vote to resist the proposed wage scale of the manufacturers. It was confidently expected in all quarters that the decision of the meetings would be to strike.

The business men who interested themselves with Mayor Coughlin to avert this impending struggle were J. C. Brady, M. T. Hudner, Joseph H. Mahoney of the McWhirr Company, Christopher McFarland of the E. S. Brown Company and Warren Barker of the Foster Company.

With them at the conference were President N. B. Borden, George H. Hills, W. F. Shove and David A. Brayton of the manufacturers and Secretaries Thomas O'Donnell, Thomas Taylor, James Whitehead and James Tansey of the unions.

SUFFER FROM LAST STRIKE.

Fall River has not recovered from the awful calamities of the strike of a year ago. When in July, 1904, the operatives resisted the cut-down in wages, the whole community was with them in spirit and all through the long contest gave loyal and liberal support to their cause.

During the weeks of suffering it was not the operatives, nor yet the manufacturers, who suffered most, but the business men in town, who suffered a loss in trade by the loss of $25,000 a day from the cessation of wages for over six months. Real estate owners pocketed losses of thousands in unpaid rents. Grocers and provision dealers by scores tottered on the brink of ruin.

With this in mind the citizens—merchants, bankers, workmen and householders—hope that another strike will be averted. Every effort has been made to ward off such a disaster.

Those in a position to force the issue have not hesitated to do so. Tenement owners have given notice that in case of a strike, the first unpaid rent bill would cause immediate ejectment. Grocers have given out that all credit would cease in case of a strike. Wholesalers have notified retailers that all trade must be for cash if the mills were stopped.

Church and Salvation army influence has been to avoid a disastrous cessation of work. Men of influence in all walks of life have labored with the secretaries, the operatives severally and the manufacturers, in their efforts to prevent the strike.

MAYOR STEPS INTO GAP.

To crown these efforts, Mayor Coughlin, representing the community at large and the business men in particular, personally stepped in the gap and brought about the conference.

The situation as it stands to-day is as follows: The manufacturers have offered a five per cent. advance in wages coupled with a profit-sharing proposition. The textile council has rejected this and reiterated its demand for a full restoration of wages as they were before the strike of last year, or 12½ per cent. increase. Both sides are firm in their determination not to give way.

200 WORKERS GO OUT ON A STRIKE AT PAWTUCKET

PAWTUCKET, Oct. 26.—More than 200 workers at the Saylesville bleacheries and Glenlyon dye works in Saylesville have quit work.

The strikers held a meeting and voted to remain out. It is expected that John Golden of Fall River, president of the United Textile Workers, will be invited to address them to-day.

A week ago a demand was made for $12 a week for the men and $8 for the girls, the answer to be given next Monday, but it is said the crisis was brought about by the appearance of a new man in the folding room who declined to join the union.

BOSTON STOCKS.

	Opening.	11 a. m.
Allouez	45¼	45½
*Amalgamated	84⅝	84⅞
American Telephone	138¾	138¾
American Sugar	142½	143
American Woolen	42½	42½
American Woolen pfd.	104⅝	104⅝
Arcadian	4¾	4¾
Atchison	88⅞	88⅞
Bingham	31½	31½
Boston Con	11⅜	11⅝
Centennial	32⅝	33½
Copper Range	74½	74¾
Daly-West	14	14
Granby	9	9
Greene Cons	26⅝	26⅞
Mass. Gas pfd.	88	88
North Butte	57	57½
Shannon	8½	8½
Shoe Machinery	73	73
Tecumseh	15	14⅞
United Cop	34	34
United States Steel	38⅜	38⅛
United States Steel pfd.	105	105
Union Pacific	133⅝	133⅝

*Ex-dividend.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

	Opening.	11 a.m.
Amalgamated Copper	83⅝	83⅝
American Car & F'nd'y	41	41⅝
Amer. Loco	70	71¼
Amer. Smelting	130	130½
Atchison	88½	88½
Baltimore & Ohio	112⅝	113
Brooklyn Transit	76⅝	77
Canadian Pacific	171½	171⅝
Ches. & Ohio	56⅞	56⅞
Colo. Fuel & Iron	45½	45½
Erie	48⅝	49
Louisville & Nashville	152⅝	152½
Metropolitan	122½	123
Mexican Central	24⅝	24⅝
Missouri Pacific	104	104
New York Central	152⅝	152½
Norfolk & Western	87⅝	87⅝
Pennsylvania	144⅞	145¼
People's Gas	104½	104⅞
Reading	127	127⅝
Rock Island	29⅞	30⅛
Southern Pacific	71⅜	71⅜
Southern Railway	36½	36⅝
T. C. & Iron	87⅞	87⅞
Union Pacific	133⅝	134
U. S. Steel	38⅛	38¼
U. S. Steel pfd.	104⅝	104⅝

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Weekly Wages of Fall River Mill Operatives

	PRESENT WAGE.	MILL OWNERS' OFFER.	WORKERS' DEMAND.
Weavers	$8.05	$8.25	$8.66
Mule Spinners	12.00	12.60	13.73
Frame spinners	5.75	6.03	6.27
Loom fixers	10.81	11.35	12.37
Slashers	9.35	9.81	10.64
Grinders	9.25	9.71	10.50
Strippers	6.50	6.82	7.43
Drawing tenders	5.25	5.51	6.00
Spoolers	5.00	5.25	7.20
Warpers	7.50	7.87	8.57
Backboys	5.00	5.20	5.66
Doffers	3.75	3.93	4.28

In the second column is given the wage to be paid under the Manufacturers' Association 5 per cent. increase, profit-sharing plan. The third column gives the wage under the 12½ per cent. increase demanded of the association, and which is now being paid in the Borden mills. In each case is given the average wage, as in many branches of mill work the operatives are paid by the piece. The general average weekly wage now paid to mill operatives in Fall River is $7.27. The mill owners offer to increase the average to $8.11. The operatives are demanding that the general average be increased to $8.27.

CONRAD TAKES BOSTON CALL

Rev. Dr. A. Z. Conrad, former pastor of the Old South Church of Worcester, to-day announced that he would accept the call unanimously tendered him to become co-pastor of the Park Street Congregational Church of Boston. As assistant to Rev. John L. Withrow, pastor of Park Street Church, Dr. Conrad will do most of the active work of the pastorate, preaching many sermons, and dividing the pastoral work with Dr. Withrow. Dr. Conrad is a middle-aged, active man, and it is expected he will infuse new life into the church.

Dr. Conrad is a graduate of Union Theological Seminary. For five years he was pastor of the Ainslie Street Church, Brooklyn, during which time 500 members were added to the church rolls. For twelve years he was pastor of the Old South Church in Worcester, 1,100 being added to the membership during that time. He resigned on account of ill-health, and after spending the years 1903 and 1904 abroad Dr. Conrad returned to active church work. Since February he has been occupying various pulpits and delivering lectures in all parts of the United States.

WIFE DESTITUTE, WITH 5 TO CARE FOR

Destitute and sick, with five small children to feed and clothe, Mrs. Melville Z. Ringer of No. 12 Davis street Malden, is anxiously awaiting word from her husband, who disappeared Friday. He took his wages with him, leaving practically nothing for the support of his family. He has three sons and two daughters, the oldest child being eight years and the youngest about two.

INDIAN HELD ON MURDER COUNT

BANGOR, Me., Oct. 26.—John Peter Ranco, the Penobscot Indian charged with the murder of the son of "Big Thunder," offered no defence in the Oldtown Municipal Court and was held without bail for trial at the February term of the Supreme Court.

It had been the general opinion among the Oldtown Indians that when Mrs. Loring, wife of the murdered man, told her story to the court much of the mystery in which the shooting is shrouded would be cleared away, but, according to her statement before Judge Dunn to-day, she knows nothing of the affair beyond the fact that she left Ranco and Loring in conversation when she went to bed. She awoke toward morning and found her husband's dead body in the yard.

The police are inclined to believe Mrs. Loring knows much more than she has told.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

RUSSIA IS FACING HORRORS OF FAMINE

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darmes interfered twice to restore order, but there was no bloodshed.

OFFICIALS ASTOUNDED.

The Social Democrats believe they have the government at their mercy, as, with the railroads stopped, the authorities are powerless to transport troops. This is all the more serious as bloody collisions have already been reported at various places, and dangerous Agrarian movements are reported from many quarters.

The strength displayed by the Social Democrats has amazed the authorities, who were taken quite as much by surprise at the evidence of their power as they were at the time of the Gapon rebellion.

The students have joined the railroad men in passing a resolution in favor of the immediate convocation of a constituent assembly elected by direct universal suffrage, and demanding that the laws governing labor be sanctioned by the representatives of the people, and the immediate grant of political freedom, and declaring that thus only can armed revolution be avoided.

This afternoon all the Poland lines were tied up, and a strike has begun on the great Southwestern system covering the territory southward from Kieff toward Odessa.

The railroad stations here are guarded by police and troops, the soldiers in barracks are kept under arms and squads of Cossacks are in evidence in the streets, which are filled with idle men.

From throughout the country news is filtering in of uprisings. The government dreads the threatened strike of the telegraphers, which will cut them off from receiving the news. Interruption of telegraphic communication is expected at any moment. Prince Friedrich Leopold's train has been stopped at Moscow.

MOB THREATENS CITY.

An infuriated mob is threatening to sack the city of Ekaterinoslav. The populace is fighting behind barricades. Two conflicts have taken place there between the troops and the demonstrators. Volleys have been fired and many on both sides have been killed and wounded. A meeting of students was dispersed by soldiers with whips. Telephone and telegraph wires have been cut and the town was in darkness all night, with the military parading the streets.

In one conflict at Ekaterinoslav, at the Briansk works, fifteen persons were killed and twenty-six injured.

A dispatch from Moscow says the Engineers' Union has voted that all engineers, whatever their employ, shall cease work to-day. The city is in a state of siege. The price of meat has trebled and there is great distress. The stations on the Kazan line are in the hands of the troops. A girl employed at a railroad station fell on her knees before the strikers and pleaded with them not to surrender. The crowd responded by singing the "Marseillaise."

In Southern Russia the strike has assumed general proportions. On the railways out of Odessa the tie-up is almost complete, and efforts are being made to induce the few remaining workmen to abandon their posts. Workmen in other lines of industry are joining the strike, and there is imminent danger that all business will be brought to a standstill. Only a few local trains have been allowed to run from Odessa, and no tickets are sold to Moscow or St. Petersburg.

FAMINE AT WARSAW.

Warsaw is now completely isolated. The strike has spread to all the railroads. A meat, milk and coal famine is at hand.

Of the highest significance is the announcement that the Czar, who is cut off from communication with his capital, is going to quit the country and spend two months with his grandfather at Copenhagen, leaving Count Witte virtual dictator, abandoning the Christmas festivities which mean so much to his subjects as well as to his imperial family.

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NEW BEDFORD REPUBLICANS HEAR LEADERS

Guild and Draper Address Big Audience at City Hall.

DEFEND TARIFF COURSE

NEW BEDFORD, Oct. 26.—Curtis Guild Jr., and Eben S. Draper were both announced to speak at the Republican rally at the City Hall, which was in consequence filled to overflowing. The meeting was called to order by David L. Barker, chairman of the Republican City Committee, who introduced as chairman of the meeting, Robert F. Raymond, who compared the candidates of the two leading parties and the part they have taken in business and public affairs.

Mr. Draper devoted the opening portion of his speech to praise of Mr. Guild. He spoke of the tariff as a matter which the Lieutenant-Governor of the State had no power to change.

"The Democratic campaign," he said, "as far as it refers to the tariff question in this State, is based on the false statement that Massachusetts industries are declining, and that the State is not prosperous. Mr. Thayer of Worcester, one of the principal speakers in the Democratic campaign, has described Massachusetts in the most doleful terms. Mr. Whitney and Mr. Bartlett have joined in this same cry, although not to the same doleful extent that Mr. Thayer has. You know that this statement of declining industries and labor unemployed is absolutely false. I have been closely connected with the business interests of this State for the last twenty years, and I have never seen a time when labor was so well employed, and when there were so many jobs seeking men as there are now."

Mr. Guild's Speech.

Mr. Guild replied to General Bartlett's Lawrence speech, telling of his share in getting sheepskins on the free list, and went on to say:

"Now let me call your attention to a genuine clean cut issue between the two parties in this campaign.

"The other night at Haverhill I called attention to the competition, especially in cotton mills, of child labor in other States with adult labor in Massachusetts. I called attention to the fact that the Republican platform in Massachusetts this year demands that child labor be prohibited in every State of the Union and that the Democratic platform adopted after ours and with our demand before it had nothing to say on this live issue, on a matter that is keeping down wages in every cotton mill in this Commonwealth."

He spoke at length on the question of child labor, concluding his speech by another reference to raw materials.

"May I again call your attention to the fact that General Bartlett, though seeking to befog the issue by talking about wood pulp, which is not a raw material but a manufactured product, the material for which is free already, and coal, which as far as that burned by the people is concerned, is free already, and hides, ninety per cent. of which imported into Boston and seventy-seven per cent. of which coming into the country are free already, is really asking you to make him not President but after all Governor, though he persistently refuses to discuss the duties of the office he seeks.

NEW ORLEANS ROOSEVELT'S HOST TO-DAY

President, Nearing Fever City, Gets Ovations at Memphis and Little Rock.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 26.—New Orleans is in gala attire to receive President Roosevelt, who is now on his way here from Memphis, Tenn. Elaborate preparations for his reception have been made, and the city will turn out en masse to greet him. The fever conditions are such that no fears are entertained for his safety.

Governor Vardaman of Mississippi made a bitter and low attack upon the President at the Jackson County Fair. Vardaman was hissed and hooted. Not a single person in the small crowd that heard him applauded, and many left the fair grounds after he began to speak. Sentiment is clearly in favor of the President, and when he comes here to-day he will be received by a loyal city that is anxious to welcome him.

Yesterday's itinerary included Little Rock, Ark. and Memphis. The President had not intended to speak at Memphis, but when his train drew into that city in the evening a big crowd was clamoring for him. He hastened to an improvised stand, and just as he began to speak a salute of twenty-one guns was fired by General Peter Tracey.

He spoke a few minutes on the duties of citizenship, and then boarded his train, which left Memphis for this city at 8:50.

Little Rock gave him a great reception. The day was spent between Fort Logan H. Root and Little Rock. The President addressed a crowd of 40,000 people at the park in Little Rock, denouncing lynching and other violations of the law. He was given hearty applause.

After this speech he was entertained at a dinner at the Masonic consistory, Judge U. M. Rose, formerly president of the United States Bar Association, presided. The President made a short response, which was wildly applauded.

U. S. JACKIES CHEER POPE

ROME, Oct. 26.—The spectacle of more than two score of American sailors in the Vatican cheering Pope Pius X. was presented at the conclusion of an audience granted by His Holiness to members of the crew of the United States cruiser Minneapolis, now at Naples. The jackies were received in the hall of the consistory. Besides forty-eight Catholic sailors there were present Lieutenant Frank E. Ridgley, Paymaster Hugh R. Insley, Professor W. S. Eichelberger and Professor Frank B. Little of the Washington Naval Observatory, and Chaplin Johnson McC. Bellows.

Pope Pius, dressed entirely in white, was attended by Mgr. Bisloti, Mgr. Kennedy and members of the ecclesiastical court.

When he had bestowed the pontifical blessing, Pope Pius left the hall, being saluted as he disappeared through the portal with three rousing cheers.

ROMANCE OF WITTE'S AMAZING WIFE

POOR JEWESS BECOMES MOST POWERFUL WOMAN IN RUSSIA

For Ten Years She Has Striven For Social Pre-eminence and at Last Has Succeeded.

Nicholas Breaks All Rules to Do Honor to Wife of Empire's Leading Statesman.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—From Jewish obscurity to the foot of the throne of the Great White Czar. From poverty to millions. From exile to honor. This, in a word, is the wonderful story that reached its climax with the Countess Witte on Monday, was received by the Emperor Nicholas.

Social St. Petersburg rocked upon its foundations at the sight. The Jews of the city in the midst of impending famine and civil conflict, held up their hands and offered thanks to Jehovah. Count Sergius Witte's heart must have glowed as the greatest achievement of his life.

It was a great feat for Witte to restore order out of the chaos of an abused treasury, when he was made Minister of Finance—but other men in history have done as well. It was a wonderful piece of diplomacy that he conducted at Portsmouth, when the vanquished demeaned themselves as victors and, after securing a remarkable peace, Witte was able to notify the Czar that "your demands have been acceded to"—but other men have made peace under conditions as difficult.

But no man has ever before secured the presentation to the Czar, at court, of his wife, when she was of Jewish birth, obscure origin, bearing the tarnish of a divorce and one-time banishment from the Russian realm.

Nothing of contemporary history so proves the strength of Sergius Witte in Russia as this reception of his wife at court.

Comes After Ten Years.

It is ten years since Witte, appointed Minister of Finance, heard these sinister words from his Emperor: "I remember that you are not married," which he understood to be in effect an order that he should never call the fact of his marriage to the attention of Czar or court.

It was a year or two afterward, when Mme. Witte accumulated a fortune of millions of roubles in speculation with Adolph Rothstein, organizer of the Russo-Chinese Bank, as her adviser, that the Czar took notice again of the fact that Witte was married. M. Momantoff, president of the Moscow-Yaraslav Railroad, had lost $3,500,000 when Mme. Witte's raid on the stock of the road was at an end. He went to the Czar, who flew into a towering passion.

Witte heard of the incident and hastened to his royal master, who refused to see him. In some way he was restored to favor, but Mme. Witte went to Nice. It was common knowledge at the court of St. Petersburg that she was practically in exile.

After a time, as Witte came more and more into the favor of the Czar, Mme. Witte was allowed to return, while still being unrecognized as living by the Emperor. She gave many brilliant entertainments in her attempt to gain an entree into high society. Her soirees, which were magnificent, were attended by leaders in officialdom and finance, but not by their wives, nor by the aristocracy.

Task Had Seemed Hopeless.

Her task seemed hopeless until Witte was appointed to the Portsmouth mission and carried out his duty with such tremendous power and audacity. To-day, so great is the Emperor's regard for Witte, whom he is about to promote to be his personal adviser in the internal affairs of stormy Russia, that Mme. Witte's antecedents and past have been forgotten. The Czar has even overlooked the fact that she is a Jewess.

Mme. Witte is one of the most beautiful women in Europe. Yet she was born a Jewish peasant in Moscow. They called her Matilda. History does not go farther than that with her name.

A substantial tradesman named Lissanewitch fell in love with her. After a time they were married. She induced her husband to move to St. Petersburg, where her ambition carved out for her a future. Her fame as a beauty, as a wit, as a brilliant woman, spread throughout the city. She became the divinity of Witte.

After a time Lissanewitch placed to his credit 25,000 roubles ($12,500) and Mme. Lissanewitch secured a divorce. She married Witte.

He was ambitious; so was she. He desired fame; she wished it for him. He wanted great riches; her ambitions could not be gratified without them. It was at this time that Mme. Witte met Adolph Rothstein, who was fighting his way to the front in the world of finance. With his help she made the fortune she needed. In one coup she won $5,000,000 in the stock market. It has been presumed that Rothstein, whose position as controller of the International Bank of Commerce of Russia did not allow him to speculate, made some business partnership with Mme. Witte.

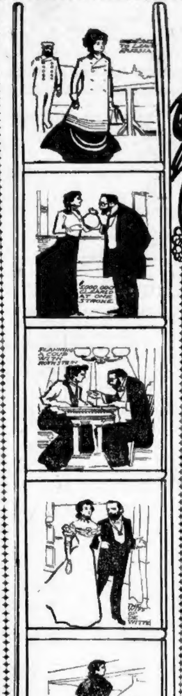
Times Change in Russia.

Then came the Czar's rage over the matter and Mme. Witte's departure for the South. That was several years ago, and times change in a Russian court. To-day Witte is the greatest man in Russia, Rothstein is governor of the Imperial Bank of Russia, and Mme. Witte—Mme. Witte has been received at court.

The people of Russia have great hopes from Witte's elevation. He is one of the most liberal of all Russian statesmen to-day. He has come out as an advocate of complete liberty of speech, of the press and of assembly. He told Seligman and the other Jewish financiers who called upon him in America that he favored political freedom for the Jews, to be given them by degrees. In his accession to the absolute confidence of Nicholas, and the presentation of his wife to the Czar, the Hebrews of Russia see great hopes of relief from the oppression which has shadowed them for centuries.

Witte may become premier of Russia, or the great man of Europe. He will probably never be prouder than at the moment when he heard the chamberlain announce "Madame la Comtesse de Witte!" and saw his Emperor's hand outstretched for her to kiss.

MME. WITTE AND SCENES IN HER LIFE.



Steps in Mme. Witte's Climb to Fortune

Born of poor parents.

Marries a tradesman.

Meets Count de Witte.

Divorces the tradesman and marries Witte.

Meets Adolph Rothstein, financier.

Makes $5,000,000 in speculation on Rothstein's "tips."

Exiled by the Czar.

Recalled from exile when Witte becomes powerful.

Received by the Czar at court.

Through her influence over Witte becomes the most feared woman in Russia.

NEW YORK NOW RUNS A FERRY

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—That municipal ownership, even in the form of ferryboats and brought about through a combination of forced circumstances, is welcomed in this city, was abundantly demonstrated by the inauguration of the new service between Staten Island and Manhattan.

There was great rejoicing in Staten Island in the opening of the new ferry line, and in St. George the occasion was fittingly celebrated. Many buildings there were elaborately decorated. Mayor McClellan went to St. George and made a speech from a platform erected on the ferry wharf, turning over the new system to Commissioner of Docks Featherson. Immediately after the exercises the Manhattan ploughed her way back to the Battery.

The five boats are built alike and cost almost $2,000,000. They are giants among the ferry craft of New York. They can carry almost twice as many passengers as any others in the harbor. Each boat is of steel and 250 feet long. They are finished in mahogany, and there is a separate smoking room. Every modern appliance for safety in case of fire and every new signalling device is on each.

The proposition to have the State Island ferry line under municipal ownership and operation was decided upon during the administration of Mayor Low.

FIRST SYMPHONY IN CAMBRIDGE TO-NIGHT

The first of this season's series of Boston Symphony concerts in Cambridge will be given in Sanders Theatre to-night at 7:45 o'clock. The solo artist will be Miss Olive Mead, who will play Saint Saens's concerto for the violin in B minor, No. 3. The orchestral numbers will be Goldmark's overture "In the Spring," Dvorak's symphonic poem, "Die Waldtaube," and Beethoven's symphony in D major, No. 2.

PASTOR AVERTS CHURCH PANIC

AYER, Oct. 26.—A panic that might have had disastrous results was narrowly averted when the floor of the Congregational church, in which over 300 delegates were attending the fifteenth Middlesex Union conference of Congregational churches, settled several inches.

As the people felt the floor beneath them sinking, they rose to their feet, but were calmed by Rev. L. E. Perry, pastor of the church, and all filed out in safety. The accident was caused by the giving away of an iron rod support in the floor timbers.

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BARTLETT AND WHITNEY ROUSE 2 MORE CITIES

Democratic Leaders Cheered in Cambridge and Watertown.

HOT AFTER OPPONENTS

General Charles W. Bartlett and Henry M. Whitney, the Democratic candidates for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, addressed overflowing rallies at both Cambridge and Watertown. Both were enthusiastically received and their speeches were warmly applauded.

General Bartlett discussed the platform of the two parties and charged his opponent with not sticking faithfully to the Republican planks. "The paltform which we adopted," he said, "is substantially, word for word, free raw materials, revision and reciprocity." That was offered to the Republican convention as the platform upon which this contest should be waged. Consequently, I start off with from 40,000 to 50,000 Republicans, who went, by petition, to the Republican convention praying that it should be incorporated in the platform.

"That petition was received with scorn and derision. The petitioners were practically howled down; they became a different section of the Republican party than they had been before. They became the "five-centers" and they left that convention and its platform, with their views absolutely unchanged, with the same desires and with the same beliefs that they had previous to the time that they were literally kicked out.

The Democratic platform advocates practically verbatim ed literatum the request of the petitioners to the Republican convention. That request was courteous and reasonable. The Republican platform itself is obscure and unintelligible and does not mean anything."

The Question of Free Coal.

After some further discussion of his opponent's attitude, General Bartlett went on to say:

"Now I want to add a little more to the discussion on coal. Admitting that you are a free trader with the rest of us, five-centers, Democrats, and all other proscribed people, you undertake to belittle the issue by saying that the coal which is burned in the grates of the poor is not taxed.

"What you mean by that remark is evidently to appeal to the poor for their vote. What you really mean to say is that anthracite coal is not taxed. Nobody ever said that it was to my knowledge. Anthracite coal is produced almost entirely in the state of Pennsylvania. Nowhere else on this globe have mines been discovered that produce anthracite coal as we know anthracite coal in this country, but the tax of 67 cents a ton on bituminous coal is still in the Dingley tariff, which under your platform you are bound to support."

The Making of Prosperity.

Mr. Whitney devoted most of his time to presenting the advantages to be derived from the extension of the trade relations of this country with Canada. "It is impossible," he said, "to lay a sound foundation for prosperity in the future without understanding the factors which have made our country prosperous in the past. In my judgment one of the most potent factors has been the broad extent of territory over which the people of all our states could trade with one another unimpeded by any artifical barriers of governmental taxation.

"Compare for a moment the states of our union in this respect with the nations of Europe.

"If you will look at the map of Europe, a continent which has a smaller total area than that of the United States alone, you will see that it is split up into a large number of small countries, for the most part separated by tariff walls which make it difficult for trade to pass form one to the other. The German empire has only 208,000 square miles, France only 204,000, Spain only 197,000.

"When we compare these figures with the three million square miles which comprise the United States exclusive of Alaska, how can we wonder at the marvellous prosperity which our people have enjoyed from the unimpeded trade between the States, which has been the policy of the Republic since its foundation?

To Double Trade Field.

"Now the proposal which the Canadian government has again and again made to the United States, and which has again and again been refused by this government is to add to the three million square miles over which we already have freedom of commercial intercourse another great territory even larger in extent, and for a great part of its area already under development.

"It has been estimated that in fifty years the population of Canada will reach fifty millions. This new country, like all new countries, must first pass through the agricultural stage and the stage of coarse manufacture. While this process is going on, Canadian people will present a marvellous market for the exploitation of American products which they have not yet begun to make for themselves, and will be able to furnish the people of the United States in return the products of the sea and the mine, the forest and the field."

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CHINAMAN WHO SHOT GIRL WILL BE ARRAIGNED TODAY

Mad Chinaman and girl he shot.

Two Charges of Assault with Deadly Weapon Against Yee Wah, Opium Slave.

Yee Wah, the Cambridge Chinese laundryman who ran amuck in the vicinity of his laundry, No. 247½ Broadway, will be arraigned again to-day in the Cambridge District Court on the charge of assault with a deadly weapon. When brought into the court yesterday Wah was still under the influence of the opium which is held responsible for his mad attack upon ten-year-old Annie Mulhern, whom he shot and slightly wounded, and John J. Jessup, whose neck he cut open with a butcher's cleaver.

The little Mulhern girl was on her way home from school when Wah smiled at her from the window of his laundry. The child grimaced at him, whereupon he pulled a pistol and fired at her, the bullet grazing her skin. Then, grabing the cleaver, Wah dashed into Benjamin Buck's locksmith shop at No. 248 Broadway and slashed at Jessup, who was sitting in a chair. Barricading himself in a cellar he defied the efforts of patrolmen from Station 2 to arrest him and was captured only after he had fired several shots.

PIRATE'S PAL CONFESSES TO 30 ROBBERIES

Special to the Boston American.

NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 26.—Otto Steifel arrested as the confederate of Henry Allison Jackson, alleged pirate skipper of the sloop yacht Dorado, has made a startling confession of a dozen robberies in Jamestown within the last three weeks by Jackson and himself.

Besides these he has made out a list of fifty robberies in which he implicates himself and Jackson.

The Fall River police are seeking William S. Riley, alias "Billy Sam," believed to be a pal of Jackson, with Steifel, in the piratical cruises.

Steifel says the Jamestown robberies were committed while Jackson's craft, the Dorado, lay quietly at anchor in the lower part of Newport Harbor. Jackson, he says, soon after midnight would launch his small boat and pull over to Jamestown, make the break and return with a suit case well filled with plunder.

Writes Log of Dorado.

Sheriff Anthony declines to give out information, and has warned his deputies against talking, but it is known that Steifel prepared a detailed report of the Dorado's cruise. Nearly thirty robberies, ranging from petty larceny to burglary, are embraced in the report.

Steifel identified a valuable aluminum chafing dish which was among the Dorado's plunder as having been taken from the Summer residence at Jamestown of Captain Richard Wainwright, U. S. N. This connects Jackson with that burglary, and as it is a more serious offence than the theft of a launch, he will be arraigned for it when arrested and brought here for trial.

The recent burglary of the Giles' cottage at Jamestown has also been connected with Jackson. Among the things taken from the Dorado were three pictures of the villa of William P. Henszey, a Philadelphia millionaire, which was in process of erection.

JORDAN STABLE GETS 3 FIRSTS

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—Eben D. Jordan of Boston is dominating the horse show, capturing three firsts and two seconds in the close contests yesterday with the Vanderbilt and Moore stables.

Kittie Grey and Hildred, driven by F. Winterbottom, won first in the tandem class from Lord Russell and Lord Roberts, the Moore entries, and Show Girl and Prince Royal of the Crow & Murray stables.

In the harness ponies class, Mr. Jordan's Tangerine defeated Frills, the Vanderbilt entry, and Rags, the entry of Howard Willets.

Mr. Jordan scored another triumph in the harness class, taking first with Hildred over Vanderbilt's Selwonk and The Artist, the Tichenor entry.

Mr. Jordan also took the second prizes in the pack horse harness class with Lord Burleigh and second in heavyweight horses with Electric Light and Flash Light.

ECONOMIC CLUB TO HEAR TARIFF TALK

"Tariff Revision and Reciprocity" will be the subject at the twelfth dinner-discussion of the Economic Club of Boston, which takes place at the American House Thursday, November 9. Among those who will speak are Governor Albert Baird Cummins of Iowa, Congressman James Thompson McCleary of Minnesota, Henry M. Whitney, president of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, and Colonel Albert Clarke, secretary of the Home Market Club. Governor William L. Douglas will preside.

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HEARST TELLS HOW GRAFTERS ROB THE POOR

Big Crowds Cheer Him When He Pledges an Honest Administration, if Elected.

'WAR ON GRAFT,' SLOGAN

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Two crowds, such as are only seen when people are making common cause against graft, listened to William Randolph Hearst and his associates on the Municipal Ownership ticket, and voiced their approval in the most enthusiastic manner.

The first meeting was at No. 210 East Fifth street, on the East Side, where Beethoven Hall was packed till not another man could have been wedged in with a hay press.

The second, which was larger, merely because the hall happened to hold more people, was at the New Star Casino, One Hundred and Seventh street and Park avenue.

At the first meeting Mr. Hearst said in part:

"I had a very pleasant surprise to-day in a set of resolutions from the employes of the San Francisco Examiner, on the occasion of its twentieth anniversary.

"The Examiner was the first paper I ever owned. The resolutions were very kind, and concluded with the hope that the Examiner would be as prosperous in the next twenty years as in the past. The Examiner has been prosperous, and it has prospered on an eight hour basis, paying the highest standard of wages. And what a little individual enterprise can do the richest city in America can do.

City's Shameful Inconsistency.

"I have always said that he is a poor man who has to steal his profits out of the wages of his employes. It is a poor city administration that has to make a showing by overworking its police department and its fire department, and denying to the hard working street cleaners a trifling increase of $60 a year. They have not had a raise in their wages for fourteen years, and everybody knows that the cost of living has doubled in that period.

"Why the amount of money that is going to be spent banqueting the British fleet would have satisfied the trifling demands of the city employes.

"It's a good thing, a very good thing, to be economical with the city's money, but let us be honestly and intelligently economical, and not give away millions in graft while denying worthy men adequate wages.

"The city should be a model employer. The administration should realize the fact that good wages for good work is an accepted American principle. It should prove that due care and economy can be exercised without overworking or underpaying its employes.

Pledges a Decent Administration.

"I have given you a pledge to save enough money from grafters to build all the needed schools, and I will add, to pay decent wages to the deserving men in the departments.

"I have made you a pledge to give you an honest and efficient administration of city affairs, and that means that neither shall business men be blackmailed nor workingmen sweated to make grafters rich.

"I have made you a pledge to preserve the public properties for the people's use, and I pledge you an honest business administration that will develop these properties for the whole people and not for a private clique of public plunderers."

Mr. Hearst spoke to his Harlem friends on the subject of honest wages for honest work, decent municipal administration, and said if he could not carry out his promises after election he would resign his office.

Before concluding he said: "There is one thing more I want to say to you, my friends. You know Murphy and the Murphy machine are going to use a great deal of money in this campaign. I know, and I have said it, that the voters who are conducting this campaign are men of principle, and men of principle cannot be bought. I ask you to vote the straight ticket—to cast a simple ballot as you can, so that Murphy cannot throw it out on election day."

14 HURT IN BIG BRIDGE CRASH

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Fourteen persons were badly hurt and a number of others were seriously injured in a collision between trolley cars on the Williamsburg bridge to-day.

There was a block on the north tracks of the New York side of the bridge and a long string of cars spread half way up the incline.

The last car was No. 2,737 of the Eighth street line. It was crowded with passengers.

Car No. 2,050, of the Fourteenth street line, also packed with passengers, came spinning over the bridge and down the incline. The motorman was running his car at great speed, and it crashed into the rear of the car ahead. Both cars were completely wrecked.

The fourteen worst injured were taken unconscious to the Delancey Street Police Station, where they were attended by the surgeons.

SOLDIER GETS IN LAW'S MESH

FORT ETHAN ALLEN, Vt., Oct. 26.—Because she "loved a soldier" a Montpelier girl "made eyes" at Private Maxwell Burke, Company G, Fifteenth Cavalry, who enlisted at Boston nine months ago. Burke was in no way backward and promptly accepted an invitation to call at the girl's house. While there, it is alleged, he stole everything of value that he could find.

The girl reported the thefts to Lieutenant Van Leer, commanding the troop on a practice march during which Burke and the girl had met, and a pair of valuable opera glasses led to Burke's arrest. On a plea of illness he was transferred from the guard house to the hospital, and escaped.

A detachment of soldiers is now hunting for Burke.

PROMINENT PRINTER DIES AT WOLLASTON

William H. McLaughlin, for several years superintendent of the specimen printing department of the American Type Founders Co., died suddenly at his residence, No. 132 Marlboro street, Wollaston.

The burial will take place from his late residence at 2 o'clock to-day.

THINK ROXBURY GIRL HAS WED GERMAN NOBLEMAN

ROSE FERNEKEES IN FANCY COSTUME.

Miss Rose Fernekees Elopes to Providence with Man Her Father Thinks is Bavarian Aristocrat.

Has pretty Rose Fernekees of No. 758 Parker street, Roxbury, eloped with a German nobleman?

Her father, Frank Fernekees, one of the best-known German-American residents of the city, thinks that the man who took out a marriage license in Providence under the names of Samuel Waycott and Rose Fernekees is none other than this aristocratic German, a former officer in the German army. Miss Fernekees left home without notice to her parents and the next heard was that the Waycott-Fernekees license had been taken out in Providence.

"I don't know why Rose should run away to get married," said Mr. Fernekees to-day. "I would not have objected to her marrying any honorable man. She could have been wedded in Boston and with my consent. But this seems to be the age of elopements and romantic marriages, and Rose may have caught the elopement fever. That is the only I can account for her going to Providence.

"I do not recognize the name of the man in the case. I never heard of him. I believe that he must be a former officer in the German army with whom Rose kept company. He has been working in Boston. His father is at present a prominent officer in the Bavarian army. His mother is living in Germany. This young man is connected with an aristocratic family across the water.

"My reason for thinking it is him is because the man who applied for the marriage license at Providence answers his description in every detail. The man who accompanied my daughter and secured the license wore a silk hat, long paddock coat and carried a light gold-headed cane.

BREAKS LEG, BUT STOPS AUTO

With his leg broken and cringing with pain, James Woodruff stopped an automobile on Franklin street just as it was starting on a runaway trip.

Woodruff was engaged in repairing the machine when he slipped on the pavement and fell, breaking his leg. As he lurched forward his body came in contact with the starting lever and the ponderous machine started. Despite his injuries, Woodruff succeeded in overtaking the auto before it had got fairly started and stopped its career.

IRVING'S SON MANAGER.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Henry Brodribb Irving, son of the late Sir Henry Irving, joined the ranks of the actor-managers at the Waldorf Theatre in a drama of military life adapted from Franz Beyerlein's well known German play entitled "Der Zapfenstreich," and entitled "Lights Out." Mr. Irving was given a most cordial reception which was genuinely won by the fine quality of his acting.

COL. COMSTOCK GETS 2 YEARS

Colonel Henry W. Comstock, bucket shop operator and veteran of the Civil War, who last May reported to the police that he had been robbed of $114,000 in securities on a Fall River boat, and who was arrested a month later for the larceny of $11,000 in money and securities from Mrs. Cora A. Frothingham, has been sentenced to two years in the House of Correction at hard labor.

Comstock hobbled from the pen on crutches and took his place outside the rail, weak, but perfectly self-contained. Assistant District Attorney Dwyer formally moved for sentence.

Counsel Sanderson, for the veteran, asked that a light sentence be imposed, and that it be in the House of Correction. Mr. Dwyer asked if any attempt to make restitution had been made, but Judge Crosby said he cared to hear nothing on that question because the prisoner was in an insolvent state before his arrest.

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SUING WOMAN FOR MILLION

Says Elizabeth Blake Wrongfully Holds Dead Coaching King's Real Estate in N. Y.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—A week after the death of the famous whip and "father of coaching in America," Pierre Lorillard Ronalds, his son has begun suit to compel the restitution of a million dollars' worth of real estate by a mysterious woman, Elizabeth N. Blake, to whom the property is declared to have been deeded by Mr. Ronalds in 1900, 1901 and 1904.

The son, Reginald Ronalds, plaintiff, names his mother, Mrs. Mary F. Ronalds, his sister, Fannie L. Ritchie, and his brother, Pierre Lorillard Ronalds, Jr., as co-defendants, at the same time claiming he is suing in their behalf. He asks that the property be restored to himself, his sister and brother in proportions of one-third subject to his mother's dower right in the estate.

What impelled aged Mr. Ronalds to deed the property to Elizabeth N. Blake, or what consideration he received, greatly puzzles the heirs.

GUS WILLIAMS TO BE STAR AT ELKS SHOW.

Gus Williams, the original German comedian, and founder of Boston Lodge, B. P. O. E., is to be the star attraction at the Elks charity concert in Tremont theatre Sunday evening. Williams is in a class by himself, and he will have new songs which he will offer for the first time on any stage.

HOT FIGHTS IN CAMPAIGN ON MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP

Several Candidates for Various Offices on Platforms of Public Control.

Timothy L. Connolly, a former president of the Common Council, has already started a hot fight for the aldermanic nomination in Wards 12 and 17, with municipal ownership as his slogan. In that section of the city it is admitted that there is no better vote getter than Mr. Connolly and to him in a large measure, it is asserted, was due the success of Theodore A. Glynn, who won the Democratic nomination for the House, running on the same platform. Mr. Connolly was a member of the Common Council for four years and was president of that body in 1898.

Upon a municipal ownership platform Thomas F. Phelan of Ward 17 is a candidate for nomination on the Democratic ticket for the council. Both of these candidates are making the gas question one of the chief issues of the campaign. They believe that the city of Boston should own and operate its own lighting plants.

That candidates who are making their fights on this platform will receive the support of the great body of gas users in Boston is indicated from letters that have been received by the secretary of the Municipal Ownership League. Here is one of the letters:

"I see by the BOSTON AMERICAN that people are complaining of the quality of gas that is being furnished since the consolidation and the make-believe reduction in price. I have made an investigation and find that our bills are really higher now than they were last year for the same amount consumed.

"But what can one expect from men who will not stop at anything to accomplish their purposes. I hope to see the day when we are rid of such men and I am firmly convinced that the way to get rid of them is for the city of Boston to run its own lighting plants."

Professor Frank Parsons, of the Municipal Ownership League, will address a large body of machinists this evening in Wells Memorial Hall on Washington street. It is the regular monthly meeting of Boston Lodge, No. 264. The lodge is warmly in favor of the municipal ownership of public utilities and they anticipate a large attendance not only of their own lodge, but from others, to hear the question discussed by Professor Parsons.

BOY KILLED TRYING TO LIFT RADIATORS

Samuel True, eight years old, an orphan, was crushed to death under a pile of radiators in the cellar of the house of Mrs. Edward C. Robinson, No. 24 Winthrop road, Brookline. The boy had been admiring workmen who had been carrying radiators to the cellar and stacking them up. He tried to lift the whole pile of radiators. They toppled over upon him, crushing him so badly he died soon after.

32 MONTHS FOR ALBERS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 26.—Official information comes to the State Department from Nicaragua that the so-called Leon court has confirmed the decision of the lower court in the case of the American citizen, Albers, and has fixed his sentence at thirty-two months' imprisonment.

GRETNA GREEN PARSON IS DEAD

Rev. C. H. Plummer, Providence's Marrying Minister, Dies of Grief Over Wife.

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 26.—The Rev. Charles H. Plummer, the minister who did more to give Providence the reputation of being New England's Gretna Green than any other man, is dead from grieving over the death of his wife.

For ten years, day in and day out, eloping couples have sought the jolly Baptist clergyman, and not one was turned away if the license was all right and there was no reason for the clergyman to believe that either of the contracting parties was doing anything against his or her will.

Many a Chinaman has been wed to a white girl by him, and many a negro with a bride of lighter hue has been made a husband by him. His home on John street is filled with peculiar mementoes of weddings left by couples who sought his services. Most of the couples who sought him were not wealthy, and his fees were not large, but everyone left something as a token of their appreciation of his services, and many amusing occurrences were often told of by the clergyman as he exhibited his curios.

Mr. Plummer had a romance in his own life. When but seventeen years of age he married a little sixteen-year-old lass in Philadelphia. He was then an actor, but the life palled upon him, and he became a clergyman. He had pastorates in Taunton, Lawrence, Philadelphia and Providence, but of late years lived a retired life here. He was seventy-two years of age.

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Comes with cover, 17 in. size, $1.45 value, for	Stationary handles, a heavy barrel, 17 inches.	Extra heavy, triple ribbed staves. Staves riveted to top and bottom hoops, making the barrel almost indestructible.
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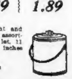

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Two Special Sales for the Balance of the Week

Eastman's Popular Perfumes, in handsome glass stopper bottles, in a full line of very desirable odors, regular price 25c a bottle, sale price 9c

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This is a very fine quality soap and was never, to our knowledge, before we made our big purchase of it, retailed in Boston for less than 12c a cake; we offer twelve hundred dozen cakes at, per dozen 19c

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Our best paper at our lowest price. There are many kinds and makes of cloth finish stationery on the market at present, all claiming to be the best—but all good judges of stationery have conceded to the Whiting Paper Co. of Holyoke, the honor of being the manufacturers of the best cloth finish paper made in the world.

We offer for the balance of this week Whiting's Cloth Finish Writing Paper, in either white, blue or gray, and in the two latest style square sizes, running about 100 sheets to the pound.

Paper,	Envelopes,
17c	6c
Pound.	Pack

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We offer several thousand volumes of copyright novels, printed from the original plates of the $1.50 editions, on good paper and prettily bound in cloth. Some of the titles are:

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"With Best Intentions," by Marian Harland.
"Ashes of Empire," by Robert W. Chambers.
"A Fair Barbarian," by Frances H. Burnett.
"Across the Chasm," by Julia Magruder.
"Continental Dragoon," by R. N. Stephens.
"Tales of Our Coast," by S. R. Crockett.
"American Wives and English Husbands, by Gertrude Atherton.
"A Puritan's Wife," by Max Pemberton.
"Within the Capes," by Howard Pyle.
"Mademoiselle de Berney," P. D. Mackie.

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Fifty-six pieces, in a number of very handsome decorations, a set worth regularly 9.00; for this sale 5.98

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Full size floral and gilt decorations, imported to retail for 50c each, each 29c

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Tysan and Awata manufacturers, 12-in. high, beautifully decorated, a vase that is easily worth 1.50, each 98c

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MRS. COOPER, CHARGED WITH MURDER; BAIL

First Time in Maine for Person Held for Capital Crime to Be Released.

MUST FACE GRAND JURY

AUGUSTA, Me., Oct. 26.—For the first time in the history of Maine criminal jurisprudence a person held on a murder charge has been admitted to bail. Mrs. Alice Cooper was held to await the action of the grand jury on the death of Charles D. Northey, Jr., at the Cooper home on the afternoon of October 10, and was released on surety of $10,000, furnished by Jasper M. Grey, first selectman of the town of Windsor, one of the witnesses for the State in the present case; Edwin J. Cooper, husband of the accused, and Herbert M. Heath, her counsel.

When Judge Andrews announced he must find that probable cause had been established, and he must hold the prisoner for the grand jury, Mrs. Cooper broke down and wept bitterly.

State Concluded Testimony.

When the surety was finally arranged she was half led and half carried from the court room by her husband. She must again come before Judge Andrews on Friday, when the matter of bail will be further considered and decided upon definitely for the period extending to the session of the Superior Court.

During the morning session of the court to-day the State concluded its work of establishing probable cause. Coroner H. W. Plummer, High Sheriff Ham, Medical Examiner Sturtevant and Peter Coulliard, the last named the Augusta clerk who sold the revolver to Mrs. Cooper on the day before the shooting, were the witnesses called by the prosecution.

Statement to Sheriff.

Sheriff Ham told of Mrs. Cooper's statement to him of the events before and during young Northey's visit to the Cooper home on the fatal Tuesday afternoon, in which she declared that the reason of Northey's glumness on Sunday night at the prayer meeting was an alleged slight which he thought she had put upon him at a croquet party a few days before. In explanation of her statement to her husband when she ran out of the house that Northey had shot himself, she told Sheriff Ham that after the two shots which Northey had fired at her as she ran she thought she had heard another after she had reached the yard.

WED A YEAR; SEEKS DIVORCE

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 26.—The most sensational suit for divorce filed here for years is that of Mrs. Edith Terry Purnell, one of the most widely known of the Blue Grass belles, who has filed a petition for absolute separation from her husband, Dr. Julius M. Purnell, an army surgeon in the Philippines.

The Purnells were married August 4, 1904. They journeyed to the Philippines, where Mrs. Purnell remained only a short while. She charges her husband with drunkenness, wasting his estate and cruelty and neglect.

Mrs. Purnell gained some notoriety by making a short appearance on the stage under the name of "Marion Parker." She took the leading part in the musical farce, "The Show Girl."

OIL STOVE BLAZE; LOSS $100

The explosion of an oil stove in the home of Michael W. Sullivan at No. 17 Selden street, Dorchester, at an early hour to-day, caused a fire which did a damage of $100.

ARMS TO GUARD LITTLE GIRL FROM ABDUCTION

Hazel Callaghan, aged 4, and house where she is guarded from abductors.

Detail of Police and Friends With Weapons Watch Brighton Man's Daughter.

John Callaghan of Western avenue, Brighton, has armed himself and threatened to shoot anyone caught trying to abduct his four-year-old daughter, Hazel, again. The police have been notified to guard the premises and Callaghan, with friends of his, is also keeping a strict watch. It will probably go hard with anyone making another effort to steal the little girl.

Mrs. Callaghan, mother of little Hazel, has left home, having previously begun action for divorce against her husband. The father is reported to have said that he would not contest the divorce proceedings, nor would he object to the mother keeping charge of the child, providing he could see her when he wished. But after the child had once been abducted and then recaptured in Haverhill by the father, Callaghan says he will keep the little one at home for the present.

Hazel was taken away soon after the mother left home. The child had been allowed to go to her grandmother's house and suddenly Callaghan heard she had been taken out of town. He traced her to Haverhill, where he succeeded in finding her, bringing her back to Brighton.

KAISER TO VISIT POPE INCOGNITO

By Boston American Leased Wire.

ROME, Oct. 26.—The Kaiser has informed the Vatican that he intends, during the Spring, to make a cruise in the Mediterranean and to stop at Civita Vecchia and pay a visit to the Pope incognito. If assured that the Vatican wishes it, he will pay a formal visit similar to that which he paid to Leo XIII. It is probable that the Kaiser will go to the International exhibition at Milan and afterward to Rome.

It is rumored that the Kings of Spain and Portugal will follow the precedent.

WOULD WED HIS AUNT, AGED 70

Special to the Boston American.

STAMFORD, Ct., Oct. 26.—William Stokes has asked the Rev. James C. O'Brien, pastor of St. John's Catholic Church, for a dispensation to marry his aunt, Mrs. Margaret Malloy of No. 26 Spruce street. Stokes is forty years old and twice a widower. Mrs. Malloy is more than seventy.

Mrs. Malloy's husband died about ten years ago and left her a handsome home and a fortune.

At the Catholic rectory it was admitted that a request has been made for a dispensation, but further information was refused.

CATHOLIC DANCE NOV. 14.

The annual reunion and ball of the Cathedral Temperance League will take place in Catholic Union Hall on Tuesday evening, November 14. The Rev. Father Mullin, rector of the Cathedral, is cooperating with President Francis H. Maloney in supervising arrangements for the reunion.

THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL.

Few People Know How Useful it is in Preserving Health and Beauty.

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better; it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the system.

Charcoal sweetens the breath after smoking, drinking or after eating onions and other odorous vegetables.

Charcoal effectually clears and improves the complexion, it whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathartic.

It absorbs the injurious gases which collect in the stomach and bowels; it disinfects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh.

All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges; they are composed of the finest powdered Willow charcoal, and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form or rather in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

The daily use of these lozenges will soon tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the beauty of it is, that no possible harm can result from their continued use, but on the contrary, great benefit.

A Buffalo physician in speaking of the benefits of charcoal says: "I advise Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges to all patients suffering from gas in stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat; I also believe the liver is greatly benefited by the daily use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores, and although in some sense a patent preparation, yet I believe I get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges than in any of the ordinary charcoal tablets."

LABOR NEWS

ALLIED PRINTING TRADES UNION LABEL COUNCIL BOSTON, MASS. 96

In accordance with a resolution passed at the recent convention of the Massachusetts State Branch, A. F. of L., at Pittsfield, an appeal has been sent to all unions in Massachusetts in the interest of the newsboys' scholarship at Harvard College.

The appeal is signed by President Francis J. Clarke and Secretary-Treasurer D. D. Driscoll, and reads:

"The Newsboys' Union of Boston started this scholarship so that the newsboy will have a chance for education; this proves that organized labor is always trying to advance its members. The Newsboys' Union was represented at the State convention and we should assist and encourage them in their noble work.

"If every union in this State will donate a small amount, we will be able to assist them in raising the $2,000 now lacking of the $5,000 required.

"Send all money to D. D. Driscoll, P. O. box C, Station A, Boston, Mass."

COLLINS LEAVES FOR CAPITAL.

With the good wishes of a large number of friends ringing in their ears, Peter W. Collins, ex-president of the Boston Central Labor Union, and Mrs. Collins, left last night for Washington, where Mr. Collins takes up his duties as grand secretary of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers. Mr. Collins has been chosen for four years, and besides the regular work of a secretary will edit the magazine issued by the brotherhood.

Mr. Collins was elected to the position at the recent convention of the brotherhood at Louisville, which he attended as a delegate from Boston Electrical Workers' Union No. 103. The office carries with it a very substantial salary, and the choice of Mr. Collins is a fitting recognition of his able efforts in behalf of his own craft and organized labor in general.

It is expected that his office will shortly be removed from Washington to Indianapolis or Springfield, Ill. A referendum vote is to be taken on the matter in a week or two.

STATIONARY FIREMEN ELECT.

The new union of stationary firemen in this city, at last night's meeting, chose the following temporary officers: President, William DeWorse; vice-president, John F. Shea; recording secretary, J. L. Mullaney; treasurer, T. J. Henry; financial secretary, M. Terrell; sergeant-at-arms, Timothy Murphy; trustees, John E. Patch, Michael B. Blake and Frank Lennon.

It was the first meeting of the new union and was largely attended. Seventeen applications for membership were received. The next meeting will be held November 1 in St. Andrew's Hall, Wells Memorial building.

PARSONS TO MACHINISTS.

"Municipal Ownership" will be the subject of an address by Professor Frank Parsons of the Boston University Law School before Machinists' Lodge No. 264 at a smoke talk to-night in Machinists' Hall, Wells Memorial building.

There are many ardent supporters of the ownership of public utilities among the members of Lodge No. 264, including President Fitzgerald, and a large audience is expected.

TO RE-ELECT KNEELAND.

It was announced at last night's meeting of the Wage Earners' Club, an organization composed of prominent trades unionists of this city in the interests of the candidacy of Fred J. Kneeland, that his re-election to the Board of Aldermen is assured.

A general canvass by committees indicates that he will receive the Democratic nomination. In Ward 23, where he resides, the entire ward committee and some of the largest property holders have signed his nomination papers, and the same interests have promised him their support in Ward 22, so that he is assured of the district nomination.

The next meeting of the club will be held Wednesday night at the Central Labor Union headquarters, when campaign literature will be distributed.

WOOD LATHERS BUSY.

The organizing campaign being carried on in Dorchester among the lathers resulted in four new members from the district being admitted at last night's meeting of Wood, Wire and Metal Lathers' Union. Trade reports showed all men busy in the wood lathing line. The only trouble on hand is with a firm in Jamaica Plain, and the union hopes to straighten this matter out satisfactorily in a few days.

Treasurer M. D. Connor has returned to this city from Greenfield, Mass., where he has been for some time engaged on a large fire-proofing job. A special meeting has been called for next Wednesday night at Blatchford Hall, Wells Memorial Building.

LABOR NOTES.

E. C. Foster, S. M. Lent, R. A. Anderson, L. C. Powers and W. A. Clough will represent Boston Pattern Makers' Association at the mass meeting of the pattern makers to-night in Providence, at which International President James Wilson will be present.

Thomas A. Mullen and L. C. Gettsinger of the People's Legal Security Company addressed Carriage Wagon Drivers' Union. Ten new members were admitted and fifteen applications received.

The executive board of cooks, waiters and bar tenders meets to-night in Hollis Hall.

The executive committee of Cigarmakers' Union No. 97 has received a communication stating that Local No. 228 of San Francisco has made application to the international union to be sustained in demanding a new bill of prices. Two hundred local unions have failed to make nominations for international officers.

Bay State Lodge, Brotherhood of Railroad Carmen, holds a mass meeting Sunday afternoon in Brodline Hall, Dover and Albany streets.

Upholsterers' Union No. 53 holds a special meeting to-night at No. 33 Hanover street to take action to uphold the minimum scale of wages of $18 in one of the large factories.

Chelsea Central Labor Union holds its semi-annual election of officers to-night at its hall in Chelsea square.

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Plaid Ribbons. All silk Scotch Plaid Ribbon, 4 inches in width. Never sold for less than 30c. Sale price, per yard 19c

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Stylish Cheviot and Worsted Long Coat Suits at $15.00

In 7-8 and medium length, with 15-gored pleated Skirts. These suits cannot be duplicated outside a Siegel store for near the special sale price of $15.00

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Broadcloth Walking Suits

48-inch fitted coat, tailored-strapped with fancy stitched collar and cuffs. Half lined with Skinner satin. High kilted skirt $29.75

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Women's Fur-Lined Coats

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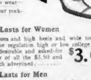

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JACK HARKAWAY'S SON

His Adventures At Sea

BY CAPTAIN RICHARD RUDD

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CHAPTER XXI.

Plot and Counterplot

Of the crowd of cutthroats and rascals who composed Hunston's party their leader only was calm.

The others watched the Mabel round the point with white faces.

They knew that it was war to the finish now, that Jack would never hesitate to sink the Hawk if he could do so before her one girl passenger was on board.

But Hunston, according to his habit, was laying another plot.

To get within range of the Hawk, without running on the rocks, the other yacht must pass directly under a precipice.

Hunston had seen the situation as he clambered down the hill.

Now, calling a halt, he took ten of his men and started for the brink of this precipice.

The climb was made quickly, and the men were on the summit before the Mabel had rounded the point.

There, under the direction of Hunston, they set about a task which completely baffled Jack and his friends.

The precipice was crowned with masses of loose rock and boulders, big and little.

With great energy, working under Hunston's commands, his men loosened most of this, and sent it hurling down into the channel.

Fifteen minute's work served to make this passage dangerous.

Twenty minutes more and it was impassable.

"Back Her"

Parsons, when he saw what had been done, began calling down maledictions on Hunston's head.

"That will do you no good," said Jack. "If you would spend half the energy thinking of the best thing to do that you do in thinking of the worst thing to say, we would have them yet."

"How?" snapped Parsons. "See, they are already in the boats."

"I know it," said Jack. "They think they have us beaten, and that is the very reason we can fool them. Is there room to turn round in this channel?"

"Not a bit."

"All right; back her through the other way."

Now Parsons began to comprehend. If the yacht could get around the other end of the island she might yet cut off the Hawk's escape.

Jack knew Hunston well enough to believe he would surrender rather than fight against odds, and of the two yachts the Mabel had far the better armament.

His best chance, that of sinking the Hunston boat before Mabel was taken aboard, was gone.

The next best was to force her to surrender, and there was still a hope of doing so.

Backing the yacht through the winding channel was by no means an easy task.

Parsons stood at the stern and signalled directions to the man at the wheel.

The engine was run under a very slow bell.

Gradually she made her way in and out, dodging the great rocks with marvellous adroitness, and Jack and Steel, as they watched the captain lay his course, were loud in their praise of him.

Well Out of It

"Just belay that taffy till we get out of here whole," growled the captain. "It will be a wonder if they don't smell what we are doing and open fire.

His words were prophetic.

The boat backed into a wider stretch of channel, and here Parsons stopped the engine and studied the bottom.

The sea was as clear as plate glass, and the ocean bed was visible to its utmost depths.

"We can turn around here," said Parsons finally. "Now, easy, and we'll try it."

The bells jingled in the engine room and the boat began slowly to back over toward the shore.

At last she stood exactly athwart the channel.

Parsons went forward and looked over the bow.

"Man a rowboat," he called. "We'll have to pull her bow around. She can't go an inch ahead without grounding.

The mate put a small boat over, with three men aboard.

They carried a line ahead to a small crag and made it fast.

Then the lines were put around the winch, the small engine was started, and gradually the boat was drawn so that her bow faced the direction in which she was to go.

Jack and Steel shook hands.

"It is the neatest bit of work I ever saw," said the latter.

"Great," said Jack. "With good luck we'll have them yet. They'll nose about here a little before they get under way. They're still looking for that treasure."

When the yacht once more stood in midstream Parsons, who had spent some time looking over the channel before him, gave the order, "Full steam ahead."

The propeller churned the sea under the stern into yeast, and with a bound the little vessel began to make up for lost time.

As she rounded a point ahead Jack was rejoiced to see the open ocean before him.

Half an hour more, and he would be upon the Hawk, whose smoke he could see rising, black and ominous, over the mountain side.

As he watched it, and wondered at the utter absence of wind that made it possible for it to rise so straight up into the air, there was a long wailing shriek over his head.

A shell plunged into the water twenty fathoms ahead of him, and exploded when it struck the bottom, sending a shower of spray high in the air.

"Oho," said Jack. "So you're firing on us. And, by jiminy, if that shot had come ten seconds later it might have got us! The rascals have nearly found her range."

As he spoke the bells in the engine room jingled once more.

The propeller began to slow down, and at last to revolve in the opposite direction.

Directly ahead of them Parsons had discovered a reef that would bar the passage till full tide, three hours later.

The Mabel lay helpless in a narrow channel.

And now the shells were bursting all around her.

The first to strike would mean death to one, perhaps many, of her passengers.

TO BE CONTINUED.

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JACK HARKAWAY, JR.

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LUNCH ROOM—19 Kneeland; must be sold this month; here is a good chance for man and wife to make money on small investment.

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AGENTS—To handle one of the latest and best articles on the markets; sells to groceries, hardware and novelty stores, and is used in every house; send 10 cents for sample or 75 cents for sample as furnished to stores; write quick, stating territory you wish. GEORGE R. RICH, Mfgr. and Patentee, Buchanan, Mich.

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HELP WANTED—Male.

Wanted—Experienced Help in a Wood Working Factory.

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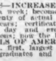

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BOY wanted. F. A. CARPENTER, 370 Atlantic av., city.

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HELP WANTED—Male.

COYNE'S BOSTON PLUMBING & TRADE SCHOOL—All practical work; day and evening; send for circular. 121 Haverhill st., Boston.

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MACHINISTS WANTED—The Davis & Furber Machine Company, North Andover, Mass., wants 50 machinists to run lathes, turret lathes, screw machines, gear cutters, etc. Either day or night work. Ask for MR. CHICKERING.

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WANTED—Foreman printer, newspaper, job work; Babcock press; wages $15 if satisfactory; chance for advancement. 36 Merrimack st., Manchester, N. H.

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WANTED—Boy familiar with scroll sawing; a resident of Dorchester near Harvard st. preferred. Apply 18 Warren st.

WANTED—Man of good references for debit; age 21 to 40. Apply W. T. WINSOR, 248 Broadway, Chelsea.

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WEAVERS are requested to keep away from New Bedford until the strike at the Bristol mill is over. Per order of EXECUTIVE BOARD.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

A COLORED BOY wants work of any kind. MARSHAL MARTIN, 20 Fayette st.

A YOUNG MAN wants work, no canvassing. W. MACK, 26 Carter st., Everett.

A CARPENTER wants situation, American man, age 35; temperate. H 187, Boston American.

AN AMERICAN young man of 20 wishes a position as stenographer and typewriter; references given. Box 4, Hull, Mass.

BAKER—Why hire worthless loafers while men with families walk the streets? I need work; first or second, bread, rolls, doughnuts, buns; reference. A 80, Boston American.

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DRUGGIST, reg., French, wants position; best of references. O 70, Boston American.

FURNITURE SALESMAN (inside) wants position; experience and references. Y 83, American.

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XIII.

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Many gifts were received, by kind friends supplied.
But the best gift of all was the groom's to the bride.

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A good rate of interest each dividend day;
Also stock in a bank and some gold bonds secure,
For our hero invested where values were sure.

Very quickly he'd act and with safety invest.
How did he do it? Perhaps you have guessed!
He made it a point to each day look through
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HELP WANTED—Female.

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EXPERIENCED chocolate dippers, packers and wrappers. Also 25 girls to learn. Good wages and permanent places for satisfactory help. BELL'S, Main, Harvard and Sixth sts., Cambridgeport.

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WANTED—In a private family, a girl that understands housework where work is very light; a good home more of an object than wages; one that has no home preferred. Address 336 Talbot av., Dorchester.

WANTED—Lady to join me in running lodging house; state age and how much can invest, if any. Y 56, Boston American.

WANTED—Smart, quick girls, from 15 years up, to work on leather, velvets and satins; experience unnecessary; work permanent, guaranteed salary to start, piece work after learning. FARRINGTON MFG. CO., Randolph, Mass.

WANTED—Working housekeeper, must be able to furnish reference; one able to cook preferred. 66 W. Newton st.

WOMAN WANTED to work by the day. 344 Tremont st., city.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Female.

A FRENCH WIDOW (Protestant) of 40 wants position as housekeeper; is honest, neat and obliging; very capable. MRS. M. G., 212 West Newton st.; apply bet. 2 and 4 p. m.

A CAP. AND EXP. WOMAN would like work of any kind by day or hour. MRS. E. DRISCOLL, 690 Harrison ave.

A GOOD STRONG GIRL would like housework; reference and some experience. Call at 1301 Tremont st., Roxbury. Tel. 857-7 Rox.

A PLACE as seamstress, to come home at night. Apply 6 Sussex st., Roxbury.

A REFINED American Protestant widow wishes position as housekeeper in widower's or bachelor's apartments; best of references. M. H., 77 Pemberton street, North Cambridge.

AN EXPERIENCED young woman would like a position as housekeeper or housework. Address S., 3530 Washington st., J. P., Mass.

CAPABLE cook and second girls, together or separate; good refs. 23A Blue Hill av.

COLORED woman wants situation as cook, meats or pastry, boarding house or lunch room. L. LEWIS, 76 Sawyer st., top floor.

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POSITION as stenographer, five years' experience, good office manager, A1 references. S 89, Boston American.

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SITUATION as working housekeeper, by elderly Scotch Protestant; good cook, reliable; reference. M. GORDON, at Mrs. Rose's, 135 Harrison ave., Boston, Mass.

SITUATION wanted by a competent woman as housekeeper in a widower's small private family; best of references. Y 82, Boston American.

TYPEWRITING—Young lady, quick and accurate, desires typewriting in office or at home; correspondence, circulars, MSS., etc.; best of references. A., 10 Adams st., Old Dorchester.

WANTED—By a capable housekeeper, or would do general work in small family; no objection to country. Apply 14 Decatur st., Boston, Mass. No mail.

WANTED—A position by experienced waitress to take charge of a dining room outside city; can furnish good references. Address A. D., P. O. Box 92, Medfield, Mass.

WASHING to take home. Call or write MRS. R. LAWSON, 157 Northampton st., suite 2.

WAITRESS, first-class, wants position in first-class dining room, moderate wages, Boston or suburbs. N 82, Boston American.

WANTED—Position as saleslady in bakery or confectionery store; references. 23 Central av., Revere.

WANTED—By young unencumbered American widow, gents' washing and mending. BLANCHE BRANDON, 765 Fourth st., South Boston, Mass.

WANTED—By a German woman, laundry work taken home, good references. MRS. FREYMAN, 1 Oriental ct., Roxbury.

WANTED—Position by experienced stenographer, graduate of Hickox Shorthand School; best of references. MISS B., 32 Worcester st., Boston.

WANTED—Work by a woman by the day, hour, or week, where she can come home nights. MRS. F., 32 Ash st., city.

WASHING to take home, or would like to go out, day's work. Call or address MRS. G. SHEPARD, 157 Northampton st., top floor.

WORK, day or hour. Address MRS. CALL, 22 East Brookline st., city.

YOUNG GERMAN wants a position in restaurant or hotel; city. 23 Warrenton st.

INFORMATION WANTED.

EXPERT PRIVATE DETECTIVES quickly furnished to secure reliable evidence for court or private use; attorney's free advice; estab. 1890; all in legal troubles consult or write. MASS. SECRET SERVICE, 42 Court st., room 2, Boston.

INFORMATION wanted of the whereabouts of Harvey Trudell, who left Claremont, N. H., for Holyoke, Mass., about the middle of September. CORA TRUDELL, 208 Main st., Claremont, N. H.

DIVORCES—Legal advice free. Quick service. Room 90, No. 1 Beacon st.

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HOTEL NAPOLI, 84 Friend st.—Lunch, with wine, 40c., 11:30 a. m. to 3 p. m.; dinner, with wine, 75c., 5:30 to 8:30 p. m.; private rooms; music.

CROSBY'S RESTAURANT—19 School st., near City Hall. A la carte. Music 5:30 to 7:30 p. m.

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PURE OLD WHISKEY, GIN AND RUM—100 proof, 60 cents, full quart. THOS. SNOW & SONS, 59 No. Market st.; estab. nearly 100 years.

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A FURNISHED ROOM to let; 76 Dudley st., 2 minutes' walk from L station; gentleman preferred.

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A—350 SHAWMUT AV.—Very pleasant, sunny front square room, h. and c. water, bath, all convenience.

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18 FOUNTAIN ST., Rox., near Dudley L, two newly furnished rooms, every convenience for housekeeping.

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27 EAST SPRINGFIELD ST.—1 flight, square room, on bathroom floor, gas, heat, h. and c. water; also front side room, same floor.

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460 MASS. AV.—Alcove room, one flight; also other rooms in nice house.

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612 TREMONT ST.—Excellent large front square room, well heated, closets, water, $3.50; basement, $1.50.

614 MASS. AV.—Nicely furnished square rooms, h. and c. water, furnace heat; telephone.

617 MASS. AV.—Well furnished side, $1.50; also square; newly renovated; bright and sunny.

622 COLUMBUS AV., suite 2.—Front steam heated rooms, continuous hot water, $2 to $5.

681 MASS. AV.—Large, pleasant front attic, furnished, all conveniences; price reasonable.

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THE WONDERFUL MRS. FOSS, MEDIUM, palmist and card reader, tells object of visit; hours 9 to 9, Sunday and daily. 218 Columbus av., near Back Bay Station.

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MISS BROWN, the great card reader. Call 4, 15 Pine st.

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TO LET—Loft for light manufacturing or storage. Inquire at 343 Medford st., Charlestown.

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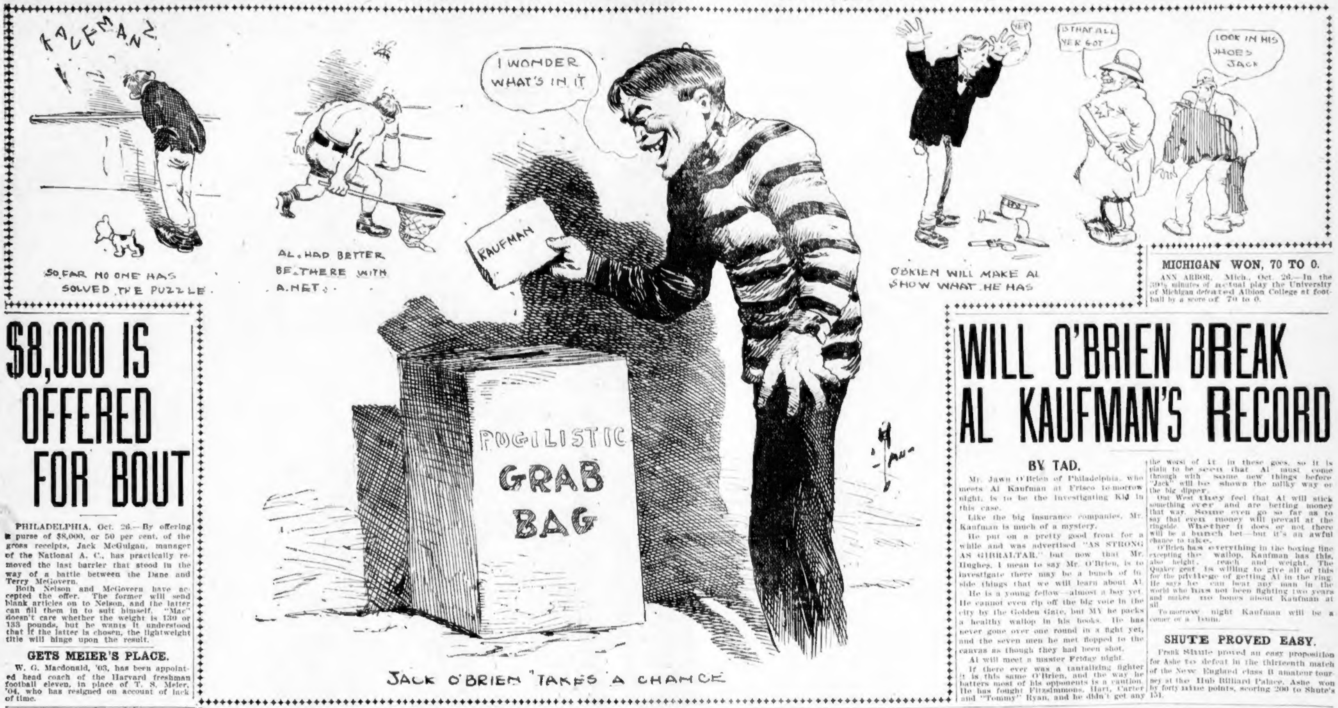
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JACK O'BRIEN TAKES A CHANCE

$8,000 IS OFFERED FOR BOUT

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 26.—By offering a purse of $8,000, or 50 per cent. of the gross receipts, Jack McGuigan, manager of the National A. C., has practically removed the last barrier that stood in the way of a battle between the Dane and Terry McGovern.

Both Nelson and McGovern have accepted the offer. The former will send blank articles on to Nelson, and the latter can fill them in to suit himself. "Mac" doesn't care whether the weight is 130 or 133 pounds, but he wants it understood that if the latter is chosen, the lightweight title will hinge upon the result.

GETS MEIER'S PLACE.

W. G. Macdonald, '03, has been appointed head coach of the Harvard freshman football eleven, in place of T. S. Meier, '04, who has resigned on account of lack of time.

MICHIGAN WON, 70 TO 0.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Oct. 26.—In the 30½ minutes of actual play the University of Michigan defeated Albion College at football by a score of 70 to 0.

WILL O'BRIEN BREAK AL KAUFMAN'S RECORD

BY TAD.

Mr. Jawn O'Brien of Philadelphia, who meets Al Kaufman at Frisco to-morrow night, is to be the Investigating Kid in this case.

Like the big insurance companies, Mr. Kaufman is much of a mystery.

He put on a pretty good front for a while and was advertised "AS STRONG AS GIBRALTAR," but now that Mr. Hughes, I mean to say Mr. O'Brien, is to investigate there may be a bunch of inside things that we will learn about Al.

He is a young fellow—almost a boy yet. He cannot even rip off the big vote in the city by the Golden Gate, but MY he packs a healthy wallop in his hooks. He has never gone over one round in a fight yet, and the seven men he met flopped to the canvas as though they had been shot.

Al will meet a master Friday night.

If there ever was a tantalizing fighter it is this same O'Brien, and the way he batters most of his opponents is a caution. He has fought Fitzsimmons, Hart, Carter and "Tommy" Ryan, and he didn't get any the worst of it in these goes, so it is plain to be seen that Al must come through with some new things before "Jack" will be shown the milky way or the big dipper.

Out West they feel that Al will stick something over and are betting money that way. Some even go so far as to say that even money will prevail at the ringside. Whether it does or not there will be a bunch bet—but it's an awful chance to take.

O'Brien has everything in the boxing line excepting the wallop, Kaufman has this, also height, reach and weight. The Quaker gent is willing to give all of this for the privilege of getting Al in the ring. He says he can beat any man in the world who has not been fighting two years and makes no bones about Kaufman at all.

To-morrow night Kaufman will be a comer or a bum.

SHUTE PROVED EASY.

Frank Shute proved an easy proposition for Ashe to defeat in the thirteenth match of the New England class B amateur tourney at the Hub Billiard Palace. Ashe won by forty nine points, scoring 200 to Shute's 151.

BROWN TRIES OUT NEW PLAYS FOR HARVARD

Special to the Boston American.

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 26.—The practice of the Brown football squad was behind closed gates, only those connected with the teams being allowed admittance. It was the first secret practice of the season, the purpose being to try out some new plays for the Harvard game. The showing made by the varsity was not quite up to the standard, the defensive work being somewhat below grade.

The usual preliminary work was given to the men as soon as they appeared, running back punts and tackling constituting this part of the practice. The tackling was rather poor, as the men seemed to be afraid of hurting each other and they lacked life and ginger. Two elevens were then chosen and signal practice was given them. In practicing signals the varsity work was excellent and no fumbles were made at all, while the men put plenty of life into their work and kept the plays going in a very lively manner.

Thomas was tried out at centre and his playing, while not of the star order was, nevertheless, good for a first tryout, and if he can but control his desire to get offside he will prove a good, steady centre. The practice this afternoon will also be behind closed gates.

PRIZES FOR FINE DOGS

Over $1,000 in money prizes will be distributed at the specialty show of the Boston Terrier Club to be held in Mechanics building next month, and a most attractive classification has been approved by Secretary Vredenburg of the American Kennel Club.

There are several new members on the bench show committee in charge of the show this year, and they are all working hard for the success of the exhibition. Dr. Frederick H. Osgood is chairman of the committee, with Walter E. Stone secretary; Dwight Baldwin, treasurer, and Thomas Benson, Alex Goode, Mark A. Knipe, William J. Greene, Myron W. Robinson, Cornelius F. Sullivan and Frank A. Teeang.

The entries for the show will close October 31, and any information required by intending exhibitors will be furnished by the secretary, Walter E. Stone, at No. 60 North Market street.

LOWELL HAS STRONG TEAM

A strong basketball team has been formed in Lowell, to be known as the Lowell Independents, composed of the best players in Lowell and vicinity. The manager will be F. P. Thyne, the well-known baseball director.

Games are wanted with Fitchburg, Leominster, South Framingham, Dedham, Salem, Winchester, Ipswich, Newport, Dover, Laconia and Portsmouth or any fast team paying a reasonable guarantee.

Frisco Sports, Confident He Will Best Jack O'Brien To-morrow Night,

BET ON BIG AL KAUFMAN

BY W. W. NAUGHTON.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—When Jack O'Brien and Al Kaufman step to the centre of the ring at Woodwards to-morrow night the local heavyweight will have a weight advantage of at least twenty pounds. A glance at the measurements of the men will show that Kaufman has other advantages, notably in height and reach.

A man who had never heard of either O'Brien or Kaufman would be inclined to remark that the discrepancy in weight and dimensions make the match appear uneven, but O'Brien's friends consider that Jack's nine years of experience as a professional pugilist wipes out the handicap and brings the men together as though they weighed pound for pound.

On account of the many violent upsets, or more properly speaking, setbacks, that expert opinion has experienced in connection with prize ring competitions, some one in desperation coined the formula, "You can't dope fighters," meaning that there is no way of foreshadowing a result with any degree of accuracy by comparing the merits and performances of a pair of prospective combatants. But the wiseacres never cease trying to "dope" the men of the ring.

Experience vs. Weights.

It may be that this thing of staking O'Brien's years of service against Kaufman's size and lack of experience is a good way of striking a balance, and again it may be all wrong. With fighters, as with race horses, it is public performances that count, and, of course, the record would make it seem as though Kaufman, with all his stalwart proportions, has but a very slight chance of overcoming seasoned Mr. O'Brien.

It is risky, though, trying to fix Kaufman's "class" by what he has actually accomplished. He has done all that has been asked of him. He can say that the reason he hasn't done more is because he lacked the opportunity. He is the "unknown quantity" of this problem, and when it is over it may be found that, apart from his physical advantages, he is a better and a greater ring general than O'Brien despite the Philadelphian's more extended experience.

There is another way of looking at the "experience" question. O'Brien, while still a young man, has seen a deal of hard service. There was an old song which ran:

"It's not the miles we travel, but the pace that kills," and in Queensberry pursuits it might with equal truth be said:

"It's not the years we've lived, but the battles we have fought that count."

Wear and Tear Handicap.

The wear and tear of the fighting game is terrible. Aside from the hammering a fellow gets, the constant training and the tension prior to and during a contest deplete a fighter's vitality and make him prematurely old. It has often been said that ten years is a fighter's span of usefulness and that it matters not whether he began his ring career at fifteen or twenty. A case in point is George Dixon, beyond the shadow of a doubt the greatest fighter the world has ever known. He is now a battered hulk with never a suspicion of his former dash and deviltry. And he is still a young man.

O'Brien has had nine years of ring work and it is just possible that the very experience his friends place so much store by may mean staleness and render him a comparatively easy mark for this California sapling. There certainly is no mistake about Kaufman's strength and vim. He is as full of ginger as a lion cub.

Kaufman Favorite.

This is simply to suggest that it is well to look at supposed advantage from different standpoints. Meanwhile the money that is awaiting investment on Kaufman shows that O'Brien's vaunted cleverness has not created any panic to speak of. Yesterday odds of 10 to 7 against the Philadelphian were freely offered and it is very likely that the California heavyweight will be a more pronounced favorite before ring time arrives.

DARTMOUTH TO PLAY A GAME WITH "GRADS"

HANOVER, N. H., Oct. 26.—Dartmouth's practice was fast and snappy. Everybody got into the plays well and helped the man with the ball along. Davis, a freshman, is being coached at right tackle to fill the place of Laing, who was recently removed from the team on account of studies. He seems to be a comer and has good speed. He is filling in the position better than the other tackle candidates.

Folsom had the men punting for some time, and there seems to be no fear in this respect. Greenwood and Captain Main have done the best work in getting distance, and one or the other will be used in the games. They both average over forty-five yards. Shortly after practice opened it became secret and spectators were ruled off the field. Having no game Saturday, the coaches will try to get a team of graduate players together to line up against the team.

RIVAL BOXERS POST FORFEITS

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Forfeits of $1,000 from each side were posted by Jimmy Gardner and Mike (Twin) Sullivan, as a portion of the $2,500 side bet which the contest between them will carry.

B. A. A. BOXING NOV. 11.

Amateur boxers are reminded that those entering in the first meeting at the B. A. A. on November 11 have the preferance for the special bouts which are to come. As the entry list is quite large it is recommended to those who have not already done so to enter immediately. Entries should be sent to George V. Brown, B. A. A.

"CORBETT" HAS WORDY FIGHT, BUT LOSES

Special to the Boston American.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 26.—Young "Corbett's" showing against Young Erne before the Washington Sporting Club was very disappointing. In fact he never showed any semblance of his old-time form, and the hopes of his friends that he would be able to recuperate like Terry McGovern were quickly blasted.

"Corbett" made a rank showing. The only thing that recommended him during the bout was his clever head-work, and by this faculty alone was he able to save himself from terrible punishment—and perhaps a knockout.

"Corbett" had trained for a month for the fight, and it was thought he would be able to round into form. However, months of service in the white light's glare has told on him, and he was not able to get off anywhere enough flesh. He outweighed Erne greatly, but he didn't have the reach or height of his opponent, which was a big handicap, considering his superfluous beef.

When "Corbett" saw that he couldn't punish Erne he tried to "kid" him. In the fourth round he started shooting off gas, and this round was nothing more than an exchange of gab rather than wallops. "Corbett" did much beefing in the other rounds, too.

Erne displayed great footwork throughout, and rained many blows upon "Corbett" when the latter didn't back away. The latter's only advantage was in the first, when he knocked his rival down.

HARVARD HAS BIG SQUAD OF COACHES

There was no scrimmaging on Soldiers Field yesterday afternoon. The Harvard football men put in the whole afternoon drilling on the fundamentals of the game and rehearsing plays. This afternoon there will be an open practice, in which a scrimmage of two fifteen-minute halves will be played. This will be the first open practice of the week at Cambridge.

Strenuous Work in Tackling.

The work yesterday afternoon began with falling on the ball and punting out. After this came some strenuous work in live tackling. The coaches and the second team men ran with the ball and the varsity men practiced bringing them to earth. The linesmen had a long practice at charging and blocking.

The best feature of the work was the cheery news from the cripples. Waldo Pierce was in the work. Squires will begin scrimmaging soon and Captain Hurley was reported as coming along nicely. Bob Guild and Pierce may be in the lineup this afternoon

The varsity team and a team of substitutes lined up against each other and rehearsed plays.

List of Coaches.

The coaches out were Waters, Lawrence, Daly, Garrison, Bowditch, Dunlop and A. Marshall.

In the signal practice at which the plays were rehearsed, the varsity and substitute teams lined up as follows: Varsity '05, Brien and Bartels, l. e.; Brill, l. t.; Burr, l. g.; White, c.; Kersburg, r. g.; Knowlton, r. t.; MacDonald, r. e.; Starr, q. b; Leonard, l. h. b.; Nesmith, r. h. b.; Carr, f. b. Substitutes: Hurd, r. e.; Spear, r. t.; McFadon, r. g.; Cunniff, c.; Pierce, l. g.; Fultz, l. t.; Whitman, l. e.; Newhall, q. b.; Lincoln, r. h. b.; Foster, l. h. b.; Davie, f. b.

STRENUOUS WORK FOR YALE MEN

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 26.—The terrific coaching which marked Yale's football practice on Monday and Tuesday was continued yesterday afternoon. The latest coach to arrive was Vance McCormick, the '92 captain, a great drop kicker of his day. He at once began to teach drop kicking and singled out Quarterback Hutchinson as the most likely man for this work.

"Brink" Thorne picked out Wylie, the freshman, as a new man for left halfback and coached him for this position. "Dutch" Levine was used at fullback in place of Rex Flinn.

Twenty-five minutes of hard secret practice was held. Then the public was admitted to the field and the team played a fifteen-minute half. The varsity kicked off and the scrubs captured the ball at their ten-yard line. By good work by Don Mackay and Kim Quill the scrubs rushed the ball for fifteen yards. Then Veeder was placed on the scrub team to punt. He got off one of his customary long drives which Tad Jones caught and ran back thirty yards before he was stopped at the scrubs' thirty-yard line. The ball was given back to the scrubs and they made three successive downs before they lost the leather. On getting the ball the varsity speedily scored another touchdown.

DELMONT WON OVER JANSEN

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 26.—Al Delmont of Medford gave Eddie Jansen of this city a bad beating at the Rhode Island Athletic Club at Thorton, in what was to have been a fifteen round go. It was stopped in the eleventh round and the Medford boy given the decision.

CROSS COUNTRY RUNNERS WILL BE GIVEN "H"

At a meeting of the athletic committee last night $5,000 was voted for further improvements on Soldiers Field. Work is to be begun at once by draining a place for a cricket grounds. This game was introduced into Harvard a few years ago by some graduates from Haverford and since that time it has established a permanent place among the athletic activities of the Crimson.

At the same time the committee decided that members of Bussey Institution shall be eligible to play on the Harvard varsity teams until he has displayed scholarship equivalent to fulfilling the entrance requirements of the academic department.

I. B. Reynolds, '07, was confirmed as assistant manager of the football team and J. B. Begilom, '09, as assistant manager of the freshman football team. It was further voted to award the college letter to the Harvard winner of the cross country run.

WEAKNESS OF WEST POINT IS FUMBLING

Special to the Boston American.

WEST POINT, N. Y., Oct. 26.—West Point had hard practice yesterday, the first since they played Harvard almost to a standstill last week. With the Yale game only a few days off the men fail to follow the ball as closely as they should and the work showed that the tendency to fumble still clings to them. The fumble of the ball on their forty-five yard line allowed Ellis to run straight for a touchdown for the scrubs.

The tackling, too, is still very high, being more frequent around the neck than at the legs. Garey surprised everyone by appearing upon the field and with just the slightest limp he played a fine game. Yesterday he was in the hospital and it was thought he would be out of it Saturday.

Mettler was slightly injured and left the scrimmage early. The first team crossed the scrub's line once during the afternoon, Weeks, Christie and Beavers figuring in the gains.

The defensive work was not as strong as it might be and the scrubs rushed the first team for over forty yards before losing the ball.

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SAYS FOOTBALL IS WORSE THAN DOG FIGHTS

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—A dispatch from Lafayette, Ind., says Representative Charles B. Landis is not an admirer of football. His position is summed up in the following statement:

"I saw a game of football last week. Several hundred people who witnessed it said it was sport. I guess I'm old-fashioned, for I have to confess that this sport does not appeal to me. Sport that necessitates the presence of physicians—well, that is simply another evidence that the brutal instincts in man and woman will crop out. Early in the contest one of the captains was carried off the field insensible, and the game went on. This is sport.

"There was not a boy in the game who did not run the risk of receiving an injury that would send him through life a hopeless cripple. Now, this may be sport, but does it pay to take the chances?

"Should an alleged sport that necessitates taking such chances receive the sanction and encouragement of sane and sensible people? Possibly so. I desire to register my opinion, however, that dog fighting, cock fighting and bull fighting are Sabbath school games in comparison with modern football."

MARTIN AFTER A BOUT.

Terry Martin of Philadelphia is anxious to meet some of the top boys of his weight in New England, and is looking for a match with Jimmy Briggs, Arthur Cote or Peter Sullivan, or wants Dave Deshler, who defeated him at catchweights.

Martin defeated Fred Lucas of New York last week, and is to face Dave Holly at the Mohawk A. C. on Saturday night.

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Twenty-five Years Is the Safest Age for a Girl to Marry

By Beatrice Fairfax

AT what age should a girl marry?

If this question were put to men individually the answer in every case would be, "At whatever age she happens to be when I fall in love with her."

And if it were put to women individually the answer, if she were strictly truthful, would be, "At any age between eighteen and second childhood."

But in this case the question is a general, not an individual, one, and to be treated as such.

Woman is supposed to be at her best between the ages of twenty-five and forty.

Therefore between those ages she is most fitted to bring children into the world.

The girl of eighteen or in the early twenties is apt to be carried away by good looks and smooth manners.

At twenty-five she is a woman, has learned to distinguish the true from the false in men and brings common sense as well as love to bear in the selection of a husband.

In looking back over the men who from time to time have attracted her she realizes that few of them would come up to her present standard.

It is not alone that she demands more of the man than she would have when younger. She has more to give.

The folded bud of girlhood has blossomed into the rose of womanhood.

Though still in the heyday of her youth, the desire for play and frolic is somewhat tempered.

The natural birthright of every girl is attention from men.

If she does not get it before marriage she will expect it after.

No woman is satisfied with the homage of one man as her record.

Where is the woman who does not like to indulge in tender reminiscences over her "old beaux"?

Her husband is not included in the list; he occupies a niche all by himself.

Now the girl who marries very young is deprived of all this.

While she should still be enjoying the playtime of life, she is obliged to devote her time to housework and babies.

The result is that when she grows a few years older her mind turns longingly to the youthful pleasures she missed.

Of course there are exceptions to every rule, and some girls are as fully developed at twenty as they ever will be.

But the ordinary, every-day girl is a much finer specimen of womanhood at twenty-five than she is at twenty.

Her mind has broadened and improved to a marvellous degree, and physically she is at her best.

Until thirty-five she grows mentally and holds her own physically.

Twenty-five is the ideal age at which to marry.

The children born between twenty-six and thirty-five stand the best chance of inheriting all that is best in the mother.

But it is much better to wait until you are thirty-five and marry the man you love than to marry one you merely tolerate at twenty-five.

The woman who has seen something of life is content to settle down with her husband and devote herself to their mutual interests.

But no matter what may be the girl's age, there is one thing absolutely necessary to a happy marriage, and that is love.

The girl who marries very young is apt to mistake infatuation for love.

Even though she may become engaged when she is under twenty-five, I would advise her to wait until that age before she marries.

It is better to be sure than sorry, especially in the matrimonial question.

ADVICE TO THE LOVELORN

CULTIVATE MORE TACT.

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I have known a young man for two years and have seen him at least once a week. One evening he did not come around, and the next time I saw him he said he had to attend to some business. Then he asked me when he could see me, and I passed a remark as if I did not care if I never saw him. He did not come around in two weeks, but Sunday he came. He spoke of nothing but girls, and all the parties he had gone to in the past two weeks. I think there is one girl he prefers to me. Would you allow him to come any more? We are just friends and no more, although I cared a great deal for him. Do you think he cares for me?

ANXIOUS.

MY dear, your remark, to say the least, was tactless. Why should you fly off the handle and lose your temper merely because a man who was only a friend failed to call on a certain night. I think he talked about the other girls in order to make you jealous. I do not know if he cares for you, but he certainly won't if you treat him that way very often.

A MATTER OF CHOICE

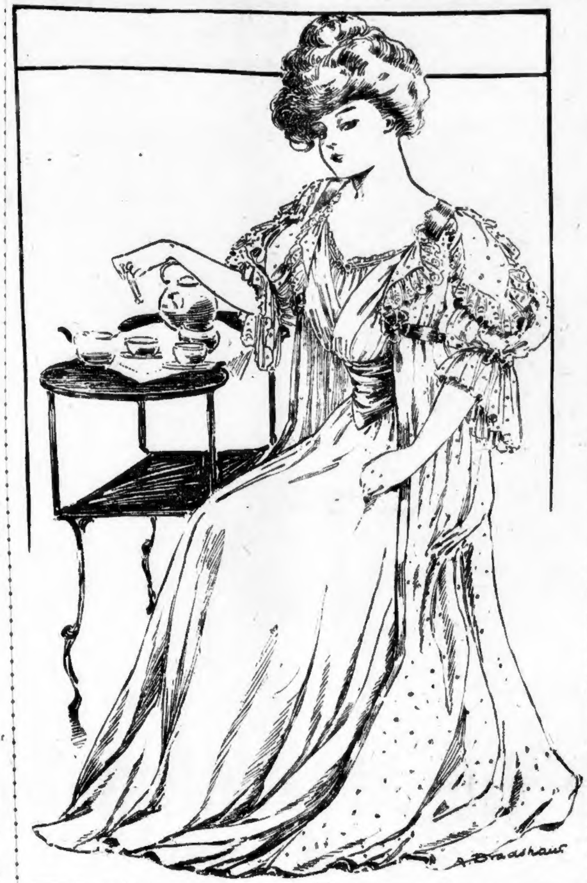
DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am seventeen years old and have known a young man for the last five years. We are deeply in love with each other and he has promised to marry me. Last year he brought his parents over from the old country, and as they are unable to support themselves of course he must support them. I do not see how he can manage to marry and support two families on $15 a week. Now, dear Miss Fairfax, what I want to know is, should I wait for this young man?

R. H.

YOU are still very young, and if you love the man I would advise you to wait. He seems to be a good son and would probably be a good husband. By the time you are twenty he may be in much better circumstances. But do not wait unless you are very sure of your love.

TEA GOWN BY MRS. OSBORN



THIS very dainty tea gown is a combination of the Empire style with the deep-belted effect, and, while it has the softness and artistic lines of the loose style, it displays a pretty figure to great advantage. The underdress is of blue chiffon, surplice fashion, with a deep blue girdle of Oriental satin. Over this is a coat of lace or cream-spotted net. Deep, ruffled epaulets overhang the sleeves, and there are soft revers with ruffled edges, which turn back across the bands of ribbons over the shoulders. The same ribbon outlines the edges of the coat, forms the high belt with rosettes in front, and encircles the sleeves at the elbow.

Everybody Ought To Have at Least One Good Hobby to Ride

By Lady Henry Somerset

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Every man and woman who wants to be happy should have a hobby. It is essential, in order to preserve a true balance of mind, that the business man, the politician and the ruler should be able to turn to some one engrossing occupation or pleasure and thus divert the mind from channels which may make too deep a groove in life.

Sir Andrew Clark, the well-known doctor, who was the friend and physician of Gladstone, used to say to patients engaged in serious work: "Learn to play; it is the secret of keeping well, sane in mind and wholesome in body." And certainly Mr. Gladstone was an admirable illustration of the truth of the axiom.

For no one who has ever seen the Grand Old Man crossing the park at Hawarden with an axe on his shoulder, clad in flannel shirt, walking with brisk step to fell some mighty tree, would ever imagine that he had carried for half a century the cares of state, and that this blithe woodcutter was the greatest scholar of his day.

Old-Time Hobbies

To-day it is with women's hobbies that I have to deal, and why should she not have hobbies? Her grandmother distilled rose water and lavender, sat at her tambour frame—or tripped across the smooth lawn to her model dairy, where she bared her pretty arms and played at being dairymaid, or, as Jane Austen tells us in "Emma," spent her leisure in collecting or perpetrating rhymed conundrums and charades, a wearisome task it seems to me, but one which may have given her real delight.

The only regret in these days is that women are not capable of throwing themselves with the necessary enthusiasm into the pursuit of one hobby. All honor therefore to those who are to be found among the hobbyists.

There is in London society a small coterie of women who are devotees of outdoor life. Prominent among these is the Duchess of Bedford, who more than any other woman has set the fashion of sport. The Duchess is a daughter of Archdeacon Tribe, and lived for six years before her marriage with her father in India, where she acquired great skill with a gun, and she was one of the best shots in the hunting expeditions organized at Lahore, and she has had many exciting experiences in the jungle.

On her husband's estate she is constantly to be met tramping over the country, unaccompanied except by her dogs, and in one season she secured nearly three thousand head of game. She is equally expert with her rod, and Izaak Walton could not whip a stream for trout more delicately than she.

Starts a "Zoo"

It is natural, therefore, that these tastes should lead her to a study of zoology, especially as the Duke of Bedford has the same love of sport and interest in animal life. At their beautiful home at Woburn Abbey they have established large zoological gardens, and I have been told that more than $250 a day is spent on rearing the animals in this private zoo.

The Duchess is a great lover of cats, and has among her collection some beautiful Siamese animals. Not long ago I heard that two large tiger cats were to be seen snoozing on the hearthrug before a fire in her house in Eaton square. Birds and wild beasts, ponies, dogs and cats are all equally dear to her, and there is scarcely an animal that does not know the sound of her voice or the touch of her hand as she goes her rounds in her great menagerie.

Princess Christian, the third daughter of the late Queen Victoria, has so many hobbies that it is difficult to know what to fix upon as her favorite, but she certainly has a hobby for doing good. The Royal School of Art Needlework at Kensington was founded some thirty years ago, largely owing to her exertions, as she was determined to revive the lost art of decorative embroidery, and the work which has been accomplished there by women often in reduced circumstances who were only too thankful to learn this dainty trade is as good as anything which Italy produced in the palmiest days of needlework in the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries.

Princess Tends Babies

The Children's Creche at Windsor is another of the Princess's hobbies. Situated as it is, close to her home in Windsor Park, she is able to give much attention to the details of its management.

Among the artistic women of England there is none who ocupies a more prominent place than the Marchioness of Granby. As Miss Violet Lindsey she was a great favorite of the late Queen Victoria, who was always charmed by personal beauty, and among her treasured possessions is a water-color drawing done by the Queen herself of the girl whose picturesque looks she so much admired.

But Lady Granby is not only a beautiful woman, she excels as an artist and sculptor. Hers is no amateur art. Her pencil sketches are now celebrated, and she has done drawings of almost all the well-known people in England. Her head of Mr. Balfour is one of the best portraits that have ever been made of the English Premier.

Titled Sculptress

Of late years she has become equally well known as a sculptress, and the recumbent effigy that she has lately finished of her son, Lord Haddon, who died some years ago, is pronounced by some of our best critics to be a work of art worthy of any great artist, "but," added one in speaking of it to me, "it has a touch that could only have been given to it by a mother."

Among women sculptors the Duchess of Argyll (Princess Louise) is also extremely clever, and had she been born in any other sphere she would undoubtedly have made her name among the artists of the world. The best specimen of her work is the statue of Queen Victoria, which now stands in Kensington Gardens, and which is remarkable for its strength and dignity. Among outdoor pursuits Princess Louise is a devotee of skating. She learned the art in Canada, and possesses a knowledge of fancy skating which is not easily surpassed.

Expert Motorist

The Duchess of Sutherland is devoted to the bicycle and has now become a skillful motorist. Her pet hobby is to drive her charming car in London and in the country, but music and sketching are also recreations in which she delights. She has also been ambitious to write a novel and published a book entitled, "One Hour and the Next," a short time ago, which showed a very complete mastery of the labor problem. On her husband's Scotch estates at Dunrobin Castle she has devoted much time to the work of the Scottish Home Industries Association, and has encouraged the making of homespuns and the weaving of linen in many a Northern home.

Her gifted sister, Lady Warwick, who has established a hotel for training women in agriculture and gardening, is an enthusiastic horticulturist, and at her own place, Easton Lodge, she has one of the most delightful old-fashioned gardens that can be imagined, a portion of which she calls the "Garden of Friendship," for every plant has been given to her by a special friend and bears the name of the donor on a heart-shaped label. Another part is named "The Shakespeare Garden," where every plant mentioned in the great poet's works is to be found, while quotations are placed among the clusters of blossoms. But Lady Warwick is also a devotee of animals, and in the great gardens at Warwick she has an emu, a kangaroo, a baby elephant, African monkeys and almost every conceivable pet.

"CONVICT 99," THE STORY OF AN IRISH-AMERICAN PERSECUTED IN AN ENGLISH PRISON

CHAPTER XXIV.—Continued

HE had implored her with the authority of one who speaks from what may prove to be his dying bed. But she could not yield. Not even for his sake could she forswear her fidelity to her old sweetheart and consent to marry a man whom her inmost heart abhorred.

And why had Lawrence not written? It was more than a year now since her fruitless visit to Grimley Prison, and in all that time she had heard nothing. What could it mean? Had he forgotten her? Or could it be that, as her father had frequently suggested, he had acted so ill in prison as to forfeit entirely the privilege of writing?

No, no! that was impossible. The prison system must be terrible indeed if one so manly and so noble could be goaded into vulgar insubordination. Yet vague fears assailed her—fears both for him and for herself. Strangely enough, too, her misgivings were invariably associated with the thought of Vickers.

His influence seemed to peer out mockingly from the heart of every trouble that came to her. She felt his will like a network encompassing her, paralyzing her efforts. But he should never conquer. Alone she would struggle against him—would baffle him——

"Good evening, Miss Lucas."

She looked up with a start. There, before her in the lamplight, stood Ralph Vickers himself. He looked paler than usual, and there was an expression of mock gravity upon his face.

Geraldine replied coldly to his salutation. Her beautiful features seemed to harden into stone as she surveyed him.

"You entered very silently. I am not accustomed to be intruded upon so stealthily."

Repulsed Again

"I beg your pardon," rejoined Vickers. "My excuse must be that I want to talk with you."

Without permission he seated himself in a large chair facing the one in which she sat. Leaning back negligently, yet with one hand grasping each arm of the chair, he fixed his sombre eyes upon her.

"I have just left your father. There is no improvement in his condition."

A shudder passed through Geraldine, but she said nothing. She only coldly returned the basilisk look fastened upon her.

"He told me that you were greatly disturbed at a suggestion he made concerning me."

"I do not wish to speak of that," said Geraldine, rising.

"Excuse me," the tone of his voice detained her as she was preparing to walk away. "Your father desires that we should speak of it, Geraldine. It is the dearest wish of his heart that you should give yourself to me."

"I will not hear this, Mr. Vickers."

She moved toward the door; but Vickers, rising suddenly, got before her and barred the way.

"You shall hear it. I will not be treated like this any longer. Your father implores you to marry me. Will you dare to refuse him, ill as he is."

Geraldine had recoiled a few steps, and now stood before him, white with indignation. At his last words the whiteness changed to crimson in her cheeks. Even Vickers shrank for an instant before the new fire and anger that darkened her ordinarily tender eyes.

"I shall dare to be true to the man to whom I have sworn fidelity," she answered, with quiet passion. "I love my father deeply. I would buy back his health with the sacrifice of my own—I would gladly die to have him, if I could—but I cannot do wrong at his bidding. Besides, you have blinded him.

A Dastardly Blow

"If he could read your character as clearly as I read it, he would cut out his tongue sooner that demand that I should wreck my life in joining it to yours."

A fleeting gleam in Vickers's eyes showed that her words had stung him. But he controlled himself well. Only her scornful defiance of him precipitated a revelation which he now felt himself secure in making.

"If it is your duty to Laurence Craig that prevents you from becoming my wife, you need trouble no more about the matter," he said lightly. "That obstacle is removed."

She looked at him fixedly.

"What do you mean?"

He stood rigidly immovable, but his eyes seemed to drive into her resisting soul the three short words that his lips uttered:

"Craig is dead."

He saw a convulsion pass over her face. Her eyes had taken a wild look of startled horror. But she said firmly:

"I do not believe it."

"It is the truth," returned Vickers hoarsely, stirred to rage by the thought that he could not in any way move her, nor shake her faith. "It is as true as that we both stand here."

She trembled again, but held herself outwardly calm.

"I cannot trust your bare word, Mr. Vickers."

"How you insult me!" he muttered between his closed teeth. And then, going nearer to her, he repeated fiercely, "I tell you it is true—true—true!" He was now so close to her that his hot breath touched her cheek. "I heard it from the warder. He was shot in trying to escape nearly a year ago."

The fierce conviction in his words swept all doubt before her. The man's real self was apparent, eager and cunning, under the mask of his society manner.

Satisfied

Geraldine swayed in her deepening terror. The brightly lighted room began to reel about her. Yet still she fought against belief.

"It cannot be! It cannot be!"

But the recollection of this long year of silence rushed over her, drowning her hope. Her voice died in her throat with a choking sound. Vickers noted her whitening lips and the unsteadiness of the hand that was reaching out to the heavy library table for support.

Shot—in trying to escape! The dear, warm heart stilled forever; the loved face cold and bloodless; the noble spirit fled.

"It cannot be," she protested again, but silently; for, although her lips moved, yet no sound came from them. "I do—not—believe——"

She put out her arms as if to beat away the appalling thought. She had forgotten where she was. Her brain was whirling. She was not conscious of Ralph Vickers's clasp as he half led, half carried her back to her chair. Neither did she hear him when presently he murmured in a satisfied tone:

"We shall get our way with her after all—the old man and I. She will promise to marry me now."

CHAPTER XXXVI.

Warder Hewitt.

FROM the day on which the bold exchange of names and sentences had been effected Laurence Craig and Jacques De Lacy saw very little of each other in Jedwood Prison. De Lacy, impersonating Laurence, was put to light work in the tailors' shop, while Craig was placed in one of the outdoor gangs that were laboring on the prison railway, then in course of construction. Their separation, however, was an advantage, since they thus evaded the danger of being too frequently together. It was only on Sundays, during the exercise hour, that they could contrive to exchange a few words.

Lawrence soon realized that the discipline at Jedwood was far more rigid than at Grimley and that the warders were far more strict; his work, too, was more laborious. But he had the great satisfaction that, should his identity remain undetected, his imprisonment would not last much longer, and he worked with a lighter heart than he had done since the beginning of his penal servitude.

Anxiously he counted the weeks and days that were to elapse before his release. Nevertheless, he was in constant fear lest by some unhappy chance the deception he was practising should be discovered, and the barrier of lifelong detention and close surveillance—a barrier stronger than before, inexorable, eternal—be raised between him and the desire of his heart. With every day he grew more anxious. His consciousness that he was acting a part made him suspicious of every one about him—suspicious of his fellow-convicts, and, more than all, suspicious of the warders. His eyes, once so smiling and fearless, had gained a restless, feverish, shrinking look.

Danger Ahead

It was only at night, when alone in his cell, that he gave rein to the keen, strong hope, the rapturous joy, that possessed him. There in the darkness his excited imagination would show him the sweet face of Geraldine, vivid and clear, as when he had last seen her in the flesh on the occasion of their parting at Newgate.

Then death had been before him; now it was love that beckoned. Life, that had been so nearly lost, now stretched before him sunlit and rich with promise. After the agony through which he had passed the simple happiness of every day would seem like the bliss of paradise. Night after night he would picture to himself the delight that awaited him, until he grew afraid of his own joy. Then he would get out of the hard bed and kneel and pray.

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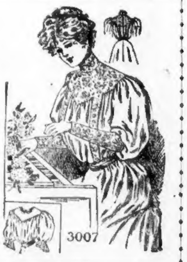

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"A soldier."

Bolsen stands erect. One forepaw is held at salute to the military cap. And watch that expression. The eyes look straight front. The formidable jaw is firmly set. The poise is rigid discipline itself.

"A baby."

Bolsen has on a cunning bonnet and clasps a bottle to his brawny chest. And his face puckers and wrinkles up into an absurd imitation of a baby's face till the audience shouts with laughter, and so on through a long and clever repertoire.

The old expression of a new play being first "tried on the dogs" will not apply in Bolsen's case, for he seems as discriminating and capable an actor himself as many humans who tread the boards. He is a prize bulldog of English birth, but German training. He is known in Europe, where he has been a vaudeville star for part of his twenty months of life. He is new to this country and has signed on the Keith circuit for a long engagement.

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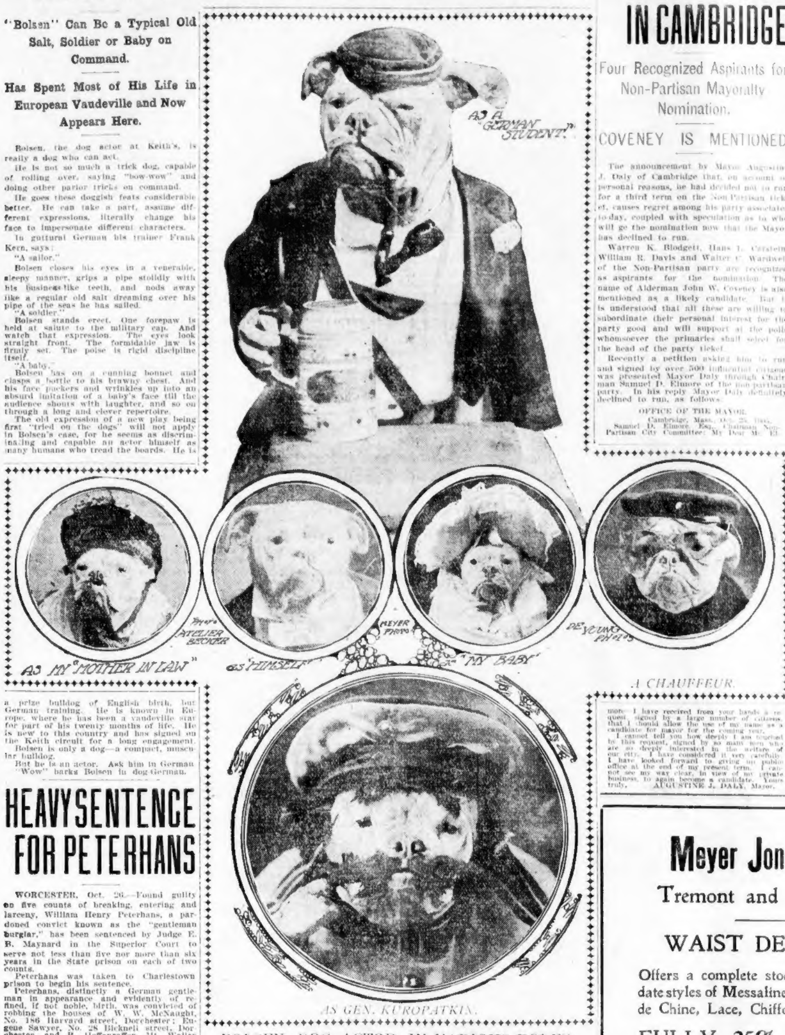
But he is an actor. Ask him in German "Wow" barks Bolsen in dog-German.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HEAVY SENTENCE FOR PETERHANS

WORCESTER, Oct. 26.—Found guilty on five counts of breaking, entering and larceny, William Henry Peterhans, a pardoned convict known as the "gentleman burglar," has been sentenced by Judge E. B. Maynard in the Superior Court to serve not less than five nor more than six years in the State prison on each of two counts.

Peterhans was taken to Charlestown prison to begin his sentence.

Peterhans, distinctly a German gentleman in appearance and evidently of refined, if not noble, birth, was convicted of robbing the houses of W. W. McNaught, No. 186 Harvard street, Dorchester; Eugene Sawyer, No. 28 Bicknell street, Dorchester, and R. Heffenraffer, Mt. Walley street, Jamaica Plain.

The police believe the man to be a real Raffles. The persons he robbed thought otherwise. Miss Letty C. Whittaker, a most highly esteemed young woman of Worcester, believed in Peterhans enough to become his fiancee, and expected to marry him. Heartbroken and astonished over his deceptions, she has repudiated him.

FLAMMER OUT FOR JEROME

New York, Oct. 26.—Charles A. Flammer has announced his resignation as Republican candidate for District-Attorney and appealed to the members of the party to support the candidacy of William Travers Jerome.

He says: "As a member of the Republican party I desire to put myself in accord with the best tradition of that party in leading sound public sentiment by not continuing my candidacy for District-Attorney against William Travers Jerome, and in response to what I recognize to-day as the sense of the majority of the best citizenship in this community."

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DALY DECLINES TO RUN AGAIN IN CAMBRIDGE

Four Recognized Aspirants for Non-Partisan Mayoralty Nomination.

COVENEY IS MENTIONED

The announcement by Mayor Augustine J. Daly of Cambridge that, on account of personal reasons, he had decided not to run for a third term on the Non-Partisan ticket, causes regret among his party associates to-day, coupled with speculation as to who will ge the nomination now that the Mayor has declined to run.

Warren K. Blodgett, Hans L. Carstein, William R. Davis and Walter C. Wardwell of the Non-Partisan party are recognized as aspirants for the nomination. The name of Alderman John W. Coveney is also mentioned as a likely candidate. But it is understood that all these are willing to subordinate their personal interest for the party good and will support at the polls whomsoever the primaries shall select for the head of the party ticket.

Recently a petition asking him to run and signed by over 500 influential citizens was presented Mayor Daly through Chairman Samuel D. Elmore of the non-partisan party. In his reply Mayor Daly definitely declined to run, as follows:

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.
Cambridge, Mass., Oct. 25, 1905.

Samuel D. Elmore, Esq., Chairman Non-Partisan City Committee: My Dear Mr. Elmore—I have received from your hands a request, signed by a large number of citizens, that I should allow the use of my name as a candidate for mayor for the coming year.

I cannot tell you how deeply I am touched by this request, signed by so many men who are so deeply interested in the welfare of our city. I have considered it very carefully. I have looked forward to giving up public office at the end of my present term. I cannot see my way clear, in view of my private business, to again become a candidate. Yours truly, AUGUSTINE J. DALY, Mayor.

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- In the Valley That the Sunshine Never Leaves. (Splendid Ballad.)
- Fly Away, Birdie, to Heaven. (The latest from the pen of Chas. K. Harris and another "Always in the Way.")
- God Made Me Happiest When He Made You. (Pretty lullaby.)
- When the Harvest Moon Is Shining on the River.

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- The Leader of the German Band.
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- What the Brass Band Played.
- Two Little Girls Loved One Little Boy.
- Wait Till the Sun Shines, Nellie.
- Every Little Bit Helps. (Great coon song.)
- Keep a Little Cozy Corner in Your Heart for Me. (By the composer of "I've Got a Feelin' for You.")
- Good-by, Sweet Marie. (Latest by the writer of "Good-by, Little Girl, Good-by.")

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NEWS OF THE THEATRES

Park Theatre

Boston theatregoers have been given something to talk over since "The Lion and the Mouse" opened here. Charles Klein has written an absorbing drama of American financial and political life, and the season has had no such sensation here in Boston as this affords. The great third act between Edmund Breese and Grace Elliston fairly leaves the audience breathless with enthusiasm. Curtain calls have been unlimited.

Colonial Theatre

Fritzi Scheff and "Mlle. Modiste" must soon leave Boston. Her success at the Colonial is much greater in this new opera of Henry Blossom's than in anything she has had before. Her vivacity and musical brilliancy could not be displayed to greater advantage. The engagement must close, however, after next week.

Hollis Street Theatre

Only four more performances remain of "Mary, Mary, Quite Contrary" at the Hollis Street Theatre. The innovation of a modern comedy for Miss Crosman has proven a success and she will be welcomed back in a similar play any time she may come here. Miss Crosman and Boyd Putnam, her leading man, were guests of Manager Schoeffel at "The College Widow's" matinee yesterday.

Keith's Theatre

Fred Ward and John Curran are scoring one of the laughing hits of a capital variety programme at Keith's this week, with their character comedy sketch, "The Terrible Judge," which contains such an abundance of new material as to be practically a new version. May Belfort may be set down as the cleverest comedienne from across the water seen at this playhouse. The Five Mowatts come to Keith's next week.

Boston Theatre

Next week finishes the run of "The Old Homestead" at the Boston Theatre. It is still playing to huge audiences and the engagement might be extended indefinitely if this was the only consideration, but dates in other cities compel Uncle Joshua to pack his grip after next week. All the old favorites will wait for him, however, and will not go until he does.

Tremont Theatre

It seems hard to have to say good bye to that fascinating "College Widow," but it must be. Only four more performances remain of her engagement at the Tremont Theatre. Then "Silent Murphy," "Sport Hicks," and the girls and the lively college boys must end their ten weeks' run. President Eliot of Harvard enjoyed their pranks at yesterday's matinee.

Majestic Theatre

Orchestra under the stage, every seat and box filled, several hundred persons standing throughout the performance, and everybody wildly enthusiastic—these are nightly features at the Majestic where Rev. John Snyder's great play, "As Ye Sow," is on the third week of its run. Brady and Grismer have given this story of heart interest an elaborate scenic production.

Globe Theatre

Billy B. Van, Rose Beaumont and "The Errand Boy" are furnishing a lot of clean, lively fun, excellent singing and a group of chorus girls that are delights to the eye, at the Globe Theatre this week. The audiences are very large and they like the second edition of "The Errand Boy" even better than they did the first.

Castle Square Theatre

Sardou's "Cleopatra" has been witnessed by many thousands of players at the Castle Square during the past two weeks, the enthusiasm over its fine acting and beautiful scenery having been unrestrained. Next Monday "Much Ado About Nothing" will be given for one week only, with Lillian Kemble as Beatrice and John Craig as Benedick.

Empire Theatre

"Richard Carvel," a finely-woven play of Southern life, is being presented by the stock company at the Empire Theatre this week, the cast including Howell Hansell, Mary Hall, Mary Sanders, James L. Seeley and many other favorites. The audiences are crowding the playhouse daily and nightly.

Columbia Music Hall

Gladys Clark Fisher, trim of figure, handsome of face and endowed with an unusually melodious voice, is the sensation in burlesque at the Columbia this week, where she is appearing with "The Americans." An old-time "amateur night" is to be given by Manager Tom Miner on Friday, November 3, in addition to the regular performance of "The Bohemians," which come to the Columbia on Monday next.

Lyceum Theatre

Vivid and realistic are the motion pictures of the Vanderbilt automobile cup races, as displayed at the Lyceum this week in connection with Robie's Knickerbocker Burlesquers. The burlesquers are presenting a novelty to the Boston play going public and are making a hit.

Grand Opera House

Sensational melodrama is "Why Girls Leave Home." It conveys some wholesome lessons, however, and is appealing to immense audiences at the Grand Opera House. There are some thrilling scenes, but none of them are overdrawn. There will be a matinee to-day and Saturday. The "Queen of the Highbinders," scheduled for next week at the Grand, is said to be the queen of sensations also.

Sunday Concerts

Sunday night concerts will be given, as usual, at the Majestic and the Globe Theatres, and the local Elks will have a charity concert at the Tremont Theatre as usual. Vaudeville acts will be seen at each of these concerts.

Roller Skating

Plans are completed for the big costume skating carnival at the roller skating rink in Mechanics Hall Friday evening. Over 1,200 costumed skaters are expected to be in line. The rink is open every day and evening and hundreds are learning the pleasurable pastime.

Howard Athenaeum

Pony ballet dancing, the burlesque feature at the Old Howard this week, seems to touch the immense Howard audiences in the right spot. The Piccolo Midgets, in their comedy and acrobatic acts, are better than ever before. George H. Wood and Kingsley and Lewis in the olio are making good. The entire bill is the best in months.

Bowdoin Square Theatre

Remarkable versatility is being displayed by Miss Charlotte Hunt in her character of Madge, the heiress, in "Nobody's Claim" at the Bowdoin Square Theatre this week. The drama is newly mounted and the company is an excellent one. Next week a great scenic production of "The World" is to be given.

Palace Theatre

Six female wrestlers, champions of the world and anxious to meet anyone, are putting up a strong attraction at the Palace this week. The Vanity Fair Burlesquers in their cleverly conceived acts and specialties, their exciting burlesques and the abundance of pretty girls, are making hosts of friends.

Austin & Stone's Museum

Great sport for the children is afforded by the performing monkeys and dogs and the talking cockatoos, the headline attraction this week at Austin & Stone's Museum. Besides there are a dozen other bright features in the curio hall and two rattling good stage shows, one including Harry Powell's "Minstrel Maids" in a notable production in minstrelsy.

Stage Notes

"Me, Him and I" comes to the Globe next week.

Johnny Quigley, the original Boston newsboy tenor, begins his far Western tour next week. He will go as far as the coast and back through Canada.

Hall Caine's dramatization of his own novel, "The Prodigal Son," which is to be seen in Boston soon, has in its cast Edward Morgan, Marie Wainwright and other favorites.

Olga Nethersole made her first appearance in America, after an absence of four years, at the National Theatre, Washington, on Wednesday, presenting "The Labyrinth," an English version of Paul Hervieu's remarkable French drama, "Le Dedale."

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HEARST'S BOSTON AMERICAN

WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST

80 AND 82 SUMMER ST., BOSTON, OCTOBER 26, 1905.

The Cows That Laid Out the Boston Streets

They Did a Good Job for Cows, but an Unsatisfactory One for People. And There Is a Timely Moral

A New York man, trying to find his way about the older section of Boston, once said disgustedly: "The streets of Boston are so crooked that when you go out to take a walk you meet yourself coming back."

You know how the streets downtown in Boston wind and twist and writhe, so that you have to walk twice as far to get anywhere as you would if they were straight. And you know the reason for it, probably. It is because the streets were laid out by cows.

These animals, pastured on the farm land which is now covered by expensive business blocks, browsed about in the underbrush and made paths between the pastures where they grazed, the wallows where they lay to chew their cuds, and the brooks and springs where they drank. You can find the same kind of paths in the small country towns all over New England, made in identically the same way.

As the town grew the cow paths became cart paths, the cart paths became wagon roads, the wagon roads became streets and lanes, and the streets and lanes became popular business thoroughfares.

One day the people of Boston awoke to the fact that their streets were narrow and crooked and devious, and that it would be better business if they were wide and straight like the streets of newer cities. They remembered the lesson when they came to build more streets, in the Back Bay and the suburbs. They could not change the old, BECAUSE IT WOULD COST TOO MUCH. People had bought the land on each side of the streets at high figures. They had erected costly buildings. They had acquired VESTED RIGHTS. And to buy them out and straighten the streets would have cost Boston more money than any city could afford to spend.

"What is all this," you ask, "about cows and crooked streets? We knew all this. It is not our fault. It is not anybody's fault—just the thoughtlessness of the folks who lived here a hundred or so years ago. We thought the editorials in the **BOSTON AMERICAN** dealt with modern conditions."

And so they do, and in this old story of the cows and the streets there is a moral that every man in Boston—and New England, and every other American city for that matter—could well ponder upon.

In the old days, when the political orators were fond of talking about "infant industries," there were organized certain corporations to furnish the people with light, and carry them about the streets, and do their errands. These corporations were small at first; later they became large. To-day they are immense and powerful. They employ thousands of men. They have vast capital. They have ceased to be servants of the people, in many cases, and have become monopolistic masters, controlling city councils, legislatures and even the voters themselves.

Within the last few years the wisest thinkers of America have come to the realization that the people of America should own and manage their own public utilities, and save for themselves the vast profits that are made by the capitalists. Yet thousands who believe in the principle are putting off the actual time of taking possession. "The time is hardly ripe," is their argument, encouraged by the corporations themselves.

Every year the public service corporations of Boston, of Massachusetts, are acquiring MORE VESTED RIGHTS, when the Constitution of the United States recognizes as having a money value. Every year that you put off establishing municipal ownership you add to the FICTITIOUS price that the corporations can charge you for goodwill, earning power, etc., when you really get ready to buy.

It really has a considerable modern bearing, you see—this question of the cows and the crooked streets.

If Boston had decided to straighten her streets fifty years ago the city would have been better off.

IF YOU WAIT UNTIL THE CORPORATIONS ALLOW YOU TO BELIEVE THAT THE "TIME IS RIPE" FOR MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP, YOU WILL FIND THEM POSSESSING VESTED RIGHTS THAT MAKE THEIR VALUE—THEIR CLAIMED VALUE, ANYWAY—AS GREAT AS THE TRADITIONAL "KING'S RANSOM."

NOW is the time to remember the lesson of the cows. And another simile: Do your own thinking on this subject, and think straight. DON'T LET COWS LAY OUT THE STREETS OF YOUR THOUGHT.

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP LEAGUE

Ward .... City........................

I, the undersigned, enroll myself a member of the Municipal Ownership League of the city in which I reside. I pledge myself to use every honorable effort to bring about the municipal ownership of public utilities. I believe that city lighting plants to supply the needs of cities and of the citizens as well is one object to be attained.

The attempt now being made to elect a Legislature which will pass measures permitting the establishment of an electric railway monopoly in Massachusetts and granting exclusive franchises to a favored syndicate shows the necessity of a prompt and concerted movement for public ownership by all citizens, irrespective of party.

Name ....

Street Address ....

Cut this out, sign it and mail it to the Secretary of the Municipal Ownership League, No. 80 Summer street.

Little Editorials from the People

DOES THIS SORT OF GRAFT FLOURISH?

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

I understand a change has been made in the civil service rules whereby an employe can be discharged without a hearing, simply on a statement furnished by his superior stating reason. As there are several ways of doing dishonest work through this change, will you kindly write an article on this subject in your good paper.

It may be that I am wrong, but why cannot "graft" be obtained by a foreman in whose department may be several employes, some holding high salaried positions and others striving for the same. Suppose a man has a $1,500 position, and another a $1,000 one, what could prevent a foreman from discharging the $1,500 man and replacing him with the $1,000 man and through this change obtain a few hundred dollars from the newly promoted. The discharged man would have no chance of defending himself, no hearing being allowed. On this account, and many others, it does not seem right, and if you will kindly take the matter up, perhaps some measures may be adopted whereby a civil service employe may receive some consideration.

READER.

"ONE OF THOUSANDS"

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Your editorials, especially the one in to-day's AMERICAN, are simply grand. Your paper has done much to show the people the corrupt government existing throughout the country. I am but one of the thousands of working people who have been greatly benefited by your editorials. A paper printing such good writings cannot fail to please the people.

Wishing you continued success.

Falmouth. JOHN BARRY.

WHAT'S THE USE? DOES IT PAY?

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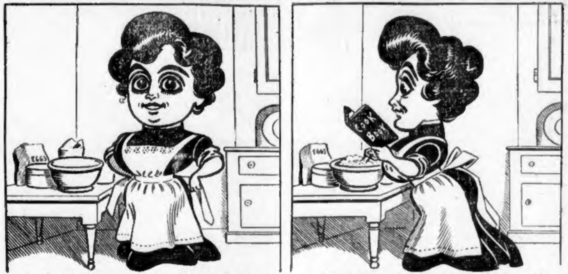
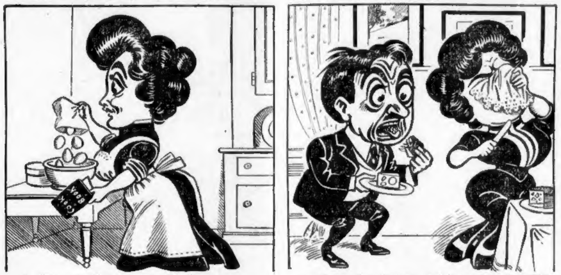


1. *Suppose you are a Happy Bride and a Young Housekeeper. You resolve to be a good cook—which you know is easy if you follow the cookbook.*

2. *You decide to delight Dear Hubby by making a cake. It is so simple! So much flour, so much sugar, and beat well together.*



3. *Then, as directed, you add six eggs.*

4. *Then, after all your striving, when that BIG-BRUTE-OF-A-MAN — YOU — THOUGHT—YOU—LOVED bites down on that cake, he says, "For heaven's sake what kind of cake do you call this? Gee! That's fierce!" Now tell me girls, WHAT'S THE USE? DOES IT PAY?*

RHYMO THE MONK

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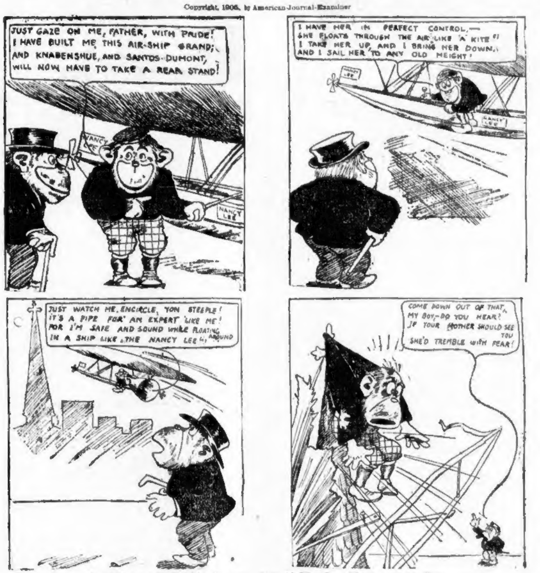
JUST GAZE ON ME, FATHER, WITH PRIDE! I HAVE BUILT ME THIS AIR-SHIP GRAND; AND KNABENSHUE, AND SANTOS-DUMONT, WILL NOW HAVE TO TAKE A REAR STAND!
NANCY LEE
NANCY LEE
I HAVE HER IN PERFECT CONTROL,— SHE FLOATS THROUGH THE AIR LIKE A KITE! I TAKE HER UP, AND I BRING HER DOWN, AND I SAIL HER TO ANY OLD HEIGHT!
NANCY LEE
NANCY LEE
JUST WATCH ME ENCIRCLE YON STEEPLE! IT'S A PIPE FOR AN EXPERT LIKE ME! FOR I'M SAFE AND SOUND WHILE FLOATING AROUND IN A SHIP LIKE "THE NANCY LEE"!
COME DOWN OUT OF THAT, MY BOY,—DO YOU HEAR? IF YOUR MOTHER SHOULD SEE YOU SHE'D TREMBLE WITH FEAR!

He Builds an Airship Just to Try if He Can Navigate the Sky.

THE FISHERMAN AND THE DUKE

A Story of Patriotism versus Graft

By Rev. Thomas B. Gregory

IT was the year of Grace 1647, and the bloody, grasping, avaricious hand of Spain bore down hard upon beautiful Naples!

The Duke of Arcos, the supercilious, tyrannical, heartless representative of Philip, after a series of the most astounding exactions, after having gone, one would have thought, to the limit of his unreasonable and remorseless spoliation of the people, suddenly announced that he must have from the slender purses of the Neapolitans the sum of a million ducats in gold!

Impossible! Where was it coming from? The people had already been robbed to the verge of starvation, and how were they to satisfy this monstrous demand for a million golden ducats?

The Duke and his henchmen got together and resolved that it should be raised by a taxation on fruit!

Fruit the Neapolitans were bound to eat, since it was about the only article of food they had to subsist on; and it was decreed that from fruit the ducats should come!

The people were helpless and in despair, but their salvation was nearer than they thought.

In Naples there was a young fisherman, Masaniello by name, poor as a pauper and proud as a lord, handsome as a picture and brave as a lion; the husband of a beautiful wife whose sweet face was often wet with the tears that hunger had brought from her jet black eyes.

Masaniello proved to be the man that the hour demanded, and burning with rage against the liveried, bejewelled scoundrels who were grinding the faces of the poor of his people, he jumped into the breach to do battle for the cause which his soul told him was so just and true!

By the magnetism of his personality the young fisherman—he was only twenty-seven years of age—drew about him first hundreds and then thousands of his fellow-citizens, and the fight was on in dead earnest!

The tax collectors were pelted with stones, the toll house was burnt, the streets rang with the cry of "Liberty and Justice!"—and the Duke and his creatures fled pell-mell to the castle of St. Elmo!

Arms were seized wherever they could be found and the ragged, half-starved populace was transformed into an army, at the head of which, bare-footed and dressed in the simple garb of a fisherman, marched Masaniello.

From St. Elmo the Duke, at the Archbishop's solicitation, returned to the palace, and for the palace the fisherman general and his soldiers now headed themselves. On the way some one threw over Masaniello's broad shoulders a robe of cloth of silver.

Reaching the palace, the patriot leader charged his followers not to lay down their arms until they had secured their rights, shouted to them, "If I do not return in an hour wreck the city," and rushed in to meet the Viceroy.

By the representative of Philip he was received as an equal, and all that he asked for in the name of the people was granted.

Coming out Masaniello tore off the dress of cloth of silver and threw it far from him, exclaiming as he did so: "It is time to get back to my fishing!"

He wanted nothing more. As by a miracle he had won for himself and his fellow-citizens the justice that he loved, and that was enough.

But the strain of his struggle was too much for him. Of the revolution he was the life, the soul; upon him rested the entire responsibility; day and night his body and mind were taxed to the utmost, and he had scarcely grasped the palm for which he so heroically strove, when his reason reeled and he became a raving maniac.

Maddened, he committed the deeds which caused the very people he had freed to rise up and slay him.

A little later they repented in sackcloth and ashes. But Masaniello was dead! And with him died the liberty of the Neapolitans!

They that on glorious ancestors enlarge
Produce their debt instead of their discharge.
—YOUNG.

Do Men Understand Women?

By Caroline

"So be warned by my lot (which I know you will not),
And learn about women from me!"
—KIPLING.

THE ways of women are wondrous strange, and any one who seeks to explain their doings by a simple rule will have much to learn.

For no two are alike. Each has a way peculiar to herself, and because you think you understand one don't fancy another is exactly on the same lines.

A woman is a perfectly simple and easily understood creature until a man comes her way.

"Presto, change!" As well try to explain why the moon affects the tides as to explain the way of a maid with a man.

It can't be explained.

It has worried the sages and philosophers in all ages, and is as interesting and unsolvable as ever.

No two are alike, especially where men are concerned.

Something different can be learned from every one.

There's the woman who wants to know what she can do to make some man love her, and weeps because the days of love potions are past.

Another is wondering how to refuse the men who want to marry her without breaking their hearts.

Her problem is which to choose.

Because women like men is usually the reason the men like them.

But the man who thinks a woman a simple proposition is the man who shows his ignorance.

He is the man most easily fooled. He who is wise will not try to solve the problem.

He will find a woman whose ways he likes, but, better still, one who likes his ways, and will convince her that the married state is the happy state, and that she will make two people happy if she will join him in it.

Don't try to understand women.

Don't try to explain their actions.

Don't seek to know a woman's reason.

Don't try to understand the sex.

If you understand one woman you have accomplished as much as is expected of any one man.

In framing artists art hath so decreed:
To make some good, but others to exceed.
—SHAKESPEARE.

WHEN THE WORLD IS YOUNG

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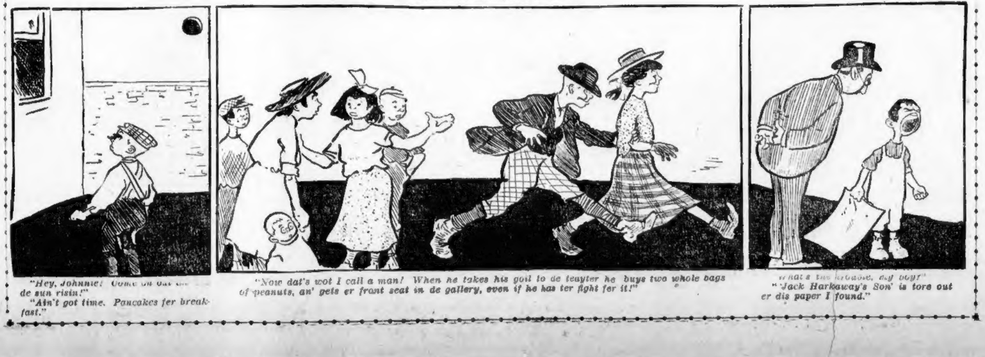

"Hey, Johnnie! Come on out [illegible] de sun risin!"
"Ain't got time. Pancakes fer breakfast."

"Now dat's wot I call a man! When he takes his goil to de teayter he buys two whole bags of peanuts, an' gets er front seat in de gallery, even if he has ter fight fer it!"

"What's the trouble, my boy?"
"'Jack Harkaway's Son' is tore out er dis paper I found."